

Public Works Department.

GENERAL.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 42.

Head-Quarters, Simla, the 10th April 1860.

Notification.—Major Alario Robertson, of the 48th Madras Native Infantry, Officiating Superintendent of the Lahore and Peshawur Road since 1857, to have the substantive position of a Superintending Engineer on the Establishment.

No. 43.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Young, Officiating as Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Department of Public Works, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 44.

The 17th April 1860.

Appointment.—Captain G. R. Phillips, 5th Madras Light Cavalry, is appointed Officiating Executive Engineer, Dharaseo Division Department Public Works, Hyderabad.

H. YOUNG, *Lieut.-Colonel,*

*Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor-General.*

No. 72.

Fort William, the 21th April 1860.

Appointments.—Lieutenant J. L. Watts, Executive Engineer of the 4th Class, at present in charge of the Agra Division, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Captain J. D. Campbell appointed a Superintending Engineer in Notification No. 1, Governor General's Camp, dated 2nd January 1860.

No. 73.

Mr. R. Wright is appointed a Probationary Assistant Overseer in the Public Works Department and posted to the North-Western Provinces.

C. H. DICKENS, *Captain,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

**Orders by the
Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.**

No. 1880.

Appointments.—*The 21st April 1860.*—Mr. A. G. Crews to officiate as Civil Assistant Surgeon of Purneah. This cancels his appointment of the 27th ultimo to Pooree.

The 23rd April 1860.—Qazi Golaum Hujani to be Principal Sudder Ameen of Gowhatty.

Bahoo Jadooram Barooah to be Sudder Ameen of Gowahatty.

Bahoo Juggobundoo to be Moonsiff of Burpeltah.

Moonshee Brijlall Doss to officiate as Moonsiff of Gowhatty.

Moonshee Kalyatollah to be Moonsiff of Luckimpore, and to exercise the powers of a Sudder Ameen and Deputy Collector in that District.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—*The 21st April 1860.*—Mr. J. A. Crawford, Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, for fifteen months, on Medical Certificate, under Section VI. of the new Revised Absentee Rules.

The privilege leave for one month granted by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta to the Reverend J. Cave Browne, Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, is confirmed.

NOTIFICATION.—*The 24th April 1860.*—Bahoo Obhoy Churn Mullick, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the 21-Pergunnahs, assumed charge of his Office on the 19th instant, from which date the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him on the 3rd ultimo, is cancelled.

A. R. YOUNG,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

**Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor,
Punjab Provinces.**

Leave.—Lieutenant F. F. Forster, Assistant Commissioner, Moozaffurghur, has obtained three months' privilege leave, from the date he may avail himself of the same, under Section XII. of the Civil Service Absentee Rules.

Lieutenant G. Newmarch, Assistant to the Chief Engineer, Punjab, has obtained one month's privilege leave, from the date he may avail himself of the same.

Overseer W. McGuffin, of the 2nd Division Public Works Department, No. 704, dated 13th April 1860, has obtained one month's privilege leave, from the date he may avail himself of the same, under Section VII. of the Uncovenanted Service Leave Rules.

Transfers.—Mr. C. W. Lennox, Extra Assistant, from the Sirsa to the Rohtuck District.

Mr. R. Spencer, Officiating Extra Assistant, from the Rohtuck to the Sirsa District.

Extra Assistant Huldeo Pershaud, from the Sirsa to the Hissar District.

Extra Assistant, Gunga Pershaud, from the Hissar to the Sirsa District.

Genl. Department, Nos. 1022-6, dated 14th April 1860. Extra Assistant General Hursookh Raie, from the Leiah to the Goordaspore District.

Officiating Extra Assistant Wuseer Alie, from the Umritsur to the Delhie District.

Extra Assistant Mehtab Sing, from the Goordaspur to the Umritsar District.

Extra Assistant Munoo Lall, from the Umballa to the Leia District.

Extra Assistant Moulvee Ahmed Ali, from the Hooshearpur to the Umballa District.

Appointments.—The services of Native Doctor Sheikh Miskeen, attached to the Mooltan Civil Dispensary, are placed at the disposal of the Superintending Surgeon, Lahore Circle, for employment in the Military Department.

2.—Native Doctor Ootum Chand is appointed to the Mooltan Civil Dispensary, in the room of Native Doctor Sheikh Miskeen.

The Order in the *Punjab Gazette*, of the 11th of February 1860, transferring Overseer Serjeant W. F. Meehan, from the Kohat to the Mooltan Division of Public Works, is cancelled.

R. H. DAVIES,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

LAHORE, 14th APRIL 1860.

No. 169.—The following transfers from the Levy at Sealkote, to the Police Battalions specified, are directed, with effect from 1st May :—

2nd Police Battalion, Kangra.

1 Havildar, 1 Naik and sixty Sepoys.

4th Police Battalion, Umballa.

Twenty-three Sepoys.

5th Police Battalion, Rawul Pindco.

One Havildar and thirty-one Sepoys.

7th Police Battalion, Lahore.

Twelve Sepoys.

8th Police Battalion, Delhi.

One Jemadar, 1 Naik and twenty-four Sepoys.

10th Police Battalion, Hissar.

One Jemadar, 6 Havildars, 3 Naiks and one Sepoy.

3rd Punjab Cavalry.

No. 170.—*Transfer.*—Duffadar Ayaz Khan, from Cureton's Mooltanees, as Jemadar, to fill an existing vacancy.

3rd Regiment Punjab Infantry.

No. 171.—The Regimental Order, dated 11th March 1860, by Lieutenant G. A. Wav, in temporary Command, assuming charge of the Office of 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, consequent on the departure of Lieutenant Orchard, to join the 6th Police Battalion, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

No. 172.—The Brigade Order, dated 3rd April 1860, by Brigadier-General N. Chamberlain, C. B., Commanding Punjab Irregular Force, directing, with the concurrence of the Local Government, the enrolment of Bussawa Sing, formerly a Naik in No. 3, Punjab Light Field Battery, as a Private in the Battery, with effect from the 1st January 1860, is confirmed.

No. 173.—The Dera Ismail Khan Station Order, dated 22nd March 1860, by Major L. B. Jones, Commanding, authorizing the Officer Commanding 4th Regiment Punjab Infantry, to entertain, on

the requisition of the Medical Officer, two Camels for the conveyance, to Mooltan, of five men of the Corps ordered to appear before an Invaliding Committee on the 1st proximo, is confirmed.

No. 174.—The Meean Meer Brigade Order, dated 21st March 1860, by Major-General C. A. Windham, C. B., Commanding, directing Ensign A. M. Ommanney, 17th Native Infantry, doing duty with H. M.'s 51st King's Own Light Infantry, to proceed and join the 4th Sikh Infantry at Abbottabad, in anticipation of the sanction of Government to his appointment, is confirmed.

3rd Punjab Cavalry.

No. 175.—*Transfer.*—Duffadar Surbulund Khan, from the Dera Ismail Khan Mounted Police, in the rank of Duffadar, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 176.—The following Extract of Government Order is re-published from the *Calcutta Gazette* dated 7th April 1860 :—

No. 370 of 1860.—Colonel J. Coke, C. B., has been granted an extension of leave for six months, on Medical Certificate, and has been informed that he will be allowed to count three months of such extension as Service for Pension, making eighteen months, in all since leaving India, which he has been allowed to count as service.

(Signed) F. D. ATKINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(True Extract)

(Signed) G. HUTCHINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Punjab,
Military Department.

No. 177.—The following Order, by His Excellency the Governor General, is re-published from the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 7th April 1860 :—

Camp Hooshearpore, the 27th March 1860.

The under-mentioned Native Officers of the Mooltan Division Mounted Police are admitted to the 3rd Class of the Order of Merit, for their services during the Mutiny, from the dates specified opposite to their respective names, viz :—

Resaldar Shair Mahomed Khan,—17th June 1857.

Resaldar Mahamood Khan Bahar,—1st December 1858.

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, Major-General,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

(True Copy)

(Signed) G. HUTCHINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Punjab,
Military Department.

No. 178.—The following Government Order, is re-published for information :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Camp Muzarie, the 3rd April 1860.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to sanction the under-mentioned Appointments and Transfers in the Punjab Irregular Force, as temporary arrangements, viz. :—

PERMANENT.

3rd Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant F. J. Keen, Adjutant, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to be 2nd in Command, in room of

Lieutenant J. W. Orchard, removed to another appointment.

4th Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant J. W. McQueen, Adjutant and Officiating 2nd in Command, to be 2nd in Command.

5th Punjab Infantry.

Captain M. R. Somerville, 2nd in Command, 1st Sikh Infantry, to be 2nd in Command, in room of Captain W. D. Hoste, resigned.

1st Sikh Infantry.

Captain J. P. W. Campbell, 2nd in Command, 2nd Sikh Infantry, to be Commandant, in room of Lieutenant-Colonel G. Gordon, deceased.

Lieutenant F. H. Jenkins, 57th Native Infantry, relieved from Command of 4th Punjab Infantry, by the return from Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel Wilde, to be 2nd in Command, in room of Captain Somerville, transferred to 5th Punjab Infantry.

TEMPORARY.

1st Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant R. Clifford, doing Duty Officer, 2nd Punjab Cavalry, to officiate as Adjutant, in room of Lieutenant Anderson, proceeded on service to China.

1st Punjab Infantry.

Captain C. P. Keyes, Commandant, 6th Punjab Infantry, to officiate as Commandant, in room of Major F. W. Lambert, proceeded on Furlough.

Ensign H. R. Young, 31st Native Infantry, to officiate as doing Duty Officer, in room of Lieutenant Pitcher, Acting Adjutant, 4th Punjab Infantry.

25th or Huzara Goorkha Regiment.

Major O. E. Rothney, Commandant, 4th Sikh Infantry, to officiate as Commandant, in room of Major H. F. M. Boisragon, proceeding on Furlough.

4th Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant G. A. Williams, 2nd in Command, to officiate as Commandant, during the period Major Rothney commands the Goorka Battalion.

Lieutenant R. J. L. Crutchley, Her Majesty's 24th Foot, relieved from the duties of 2nd in Command, by return of Lieutenant Williams, from Furlough, to act as 2nd in Command, until further orders.

Ensign A. M. Ommanney, 17th Native Infantry, to officiate as doing Duty Officer, in room of Lieutenant E. C. Codrington, transferred to the Goorka Battalion.

(Signed) B. J. H. BIRCH, Major-General,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

(True Copy)

(Signed) G. HUTCHINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to Government, Punjab,
Military Department.

Trans-Sutlej Division Mounted Police.

No. 179.—Jemadar Wullun Khan is dismissed the Service.

Transfer.—Supernumerary Jemadar Umjud Ally, from the Goorgoon Division to the Jullundur Bessala, in room of Wullun Khan.

G. HUTCHINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Punjab,
Military Department.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH the sanction of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, a Normal Class will be formed, from the 1st May 1860, in the Government Anglo-Vernacular School recently established at Lahore.

2. The object in view is to train a certain number of Scholars, who are already well acquainted with their vernacular tongue, have a fair knowledge of Arithmetic, Geography, and Indian History, through that medium, and have attained some proficiency in the English language, for the post of Masters and Assistant Masters in the Zillah Schools about to be organized in various Districts of the Punjab.

3. Such Scholars must be *bonâ fide* natives of the Punjab or its Dependencies, above the age of 17, and must enter into a written agreement to serve for at least two years (after being declared qualified for the post) as Teachers in Government Zillah Schools, on not less than 30 Rupees per mensem. If worthy of higher salaries, Teacherships of various grades up to 150 Rupees per mensem, will be open to them. In case of quitting the Normal Class before qualifying for a Teachership, or of resigning a Government Teachership without due cause, before completing two years of service, they must engage to refund all that they have received by way of stipends.

4. Students of the Normal Class will receive, while under instruction, a monthly stipend of 10 Rupees each. The number of such stipendiary Students is for the present limited to ten, and these will be selected from among Candidates for admission who possess the highest acquirements in the subjects before mentioned.

5. Candidates who may fail in gaining admission as stipendiary Students, or any others fulfilling the conditions prescribed in para. 3, will be eligible as non-stipendiary Students of the Normal Class, to the number of six only. No entrance donation or monthly tuition fee will be demanded of the latter; and as stipends fall vacant, they will be allotted to the most successful of these non-stipendiary Students.

6. The attention of the Normal Class will be directed almost exclusively to the study of English Literature, and the course of training will at first extend over a period of from six to twelve months, according to circumstances.

7. Candidates should apply for admission, either personally or by letter, to the nearest Inspector of Schools, viz., to Lieutenant Holroyd at Umballa, or to Lieutenant Forbes at Lahore.

A. R. FULMER,
Director of Public Instruction, Punjab.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioner for the investigation of claims to Compensation, in the Punjab, for losses occasioned by the Mutiny, having closed his proceedings, notice is hereby given that no more claims will now be received.

When the orders of the Supreme Government are received for the disbursement of money on account of such claims, due notice thereof will be given in the *Punjab Gazette* and the public Newspapers.

Claimants who have addressed the Compensation Commissioner or the Punjab Government, enquiring about their Compensation claims, are requested to consider this notice as a reply.

R. H. DAVIES,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

Notification.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th MARCH 1900.

The Government of Madras are prepared to receive offers, through the Superintendent of Marine, for the establishment of a Line of Steamers of not less than 600 Tons gross and 150 Horse-power, or thereabout, between Madras, the Northern Ports and Rangoon, on the following conditions :—

1st.—That a Steamer be despatched to Rangoon two days after the arrival of the first or second Suez Steamer of the month, as may hereafter be decided, touching at Masulipatam, Cocanada and Vizagapatam, and that she return to Madras by the same route.

2nd.—That she carry all Mails free of expense to Government.

3rd.—That she shall afford the regulated space below decks for at least 100 Natives, accommodation (Cabin) for 5 Officers and 3 Warrant Officers, and stowage in the hold for 30 tons of Stores.

4th.—That the freight and passage money shall be according to the following scale.—

Between	Cabin Passage.	Intermediate Passage.	Children, Cabin Passage.		Deck Passage.		Freight per ton of 50 cubic feet	Treasure.
			Above 7 and under 16 years.	Under 7.	Europeans.	Natives.		
					Children.	Half fare.		
Madras and Masulipatam	60	21	30 0	15 0	16 0 0	12 0 0	18	½ per cent.
Do do Coringa	70	28	35 0	17 5	17 5 4	12 10 8	21	Do.
Do do Vizagapatam	80	32	40 0	20 0	18 10 8	14 0 0	24	Do.
Do do Rangoon ...	150	60	75 0	37 5	26 10 8	20 0 0	45	Do.
Masulipatam and Coringa	80	12	15 0	7 8	8 0 0	6 0 0	15	Do.
Do do Vizagapatam	40	16	20 0	10 0	9 5 4	6 10 8	18	Do.
Do do Rangoon	135	54	67 8	31 0	21 0 0	18 0 0	40	Do.
Coringa and Vizagapatam	80	12	15 0	7 8	8 0 0	6 0 0	15	Do.
Do do Rangoon	120	48	60 0	30 0	21 5 4	16 0 0	35	Do.
Vizagapatam and Rangoon	105	42	52 8	26 0	18 10 8	14 0 0	30	Do.

5th.—That each Cabin Passenger be permitted to carry 3 Cwts baggage, and each Deck Passenger 40 lbs., exclusive of their Arms and Knapsacks, and that extra space be allowed for the men's provisions, which will be supplied by the Commissariat.

6th.—That the Commander be held responsible for the custody and issue of the provisions in the mode adopted on board Government Transports or other Vessels carrying Troops; and

7th.—That in the event of the Steamer failing to keep to her time of departure from Madras the subsidy and guarantee shall not be claimable, and that in all cases the subsidy shall not be payable until the Vessel has accomplished her voyage out and home.

2. The Government will guarantee freight and passage money to the extent of (7,500) seven thousand and five hundred Rupees on each full trip from Madras and back.

3. Cabin Passengers are to be provided with a liberal table, including liquors.

4. Intermediate passage is intended for Warrant Officers who are entitled to a plain, substantial mess, without liquor.

5. Deck Passengers will be fed by the Government, but the Commander will be required to take charge of, issue and cook their food.

6. Parties tendering should state full particulars of the Vessel or Vessels they would propose to employ, more especially as to age, tonnage, horse power and 'tween-deck accommodation for Troops; and the subsidy required should be stated for the voyage from Madras and back.

7. No penalties will be stipulated for in the event of failure.

8. Tenders should be addressed to the Superintendent of Marine, Madras, and despatched so as to arrive not later than the 31st July next.

By Order,

T. PIERCE, Chief Secretary.

Opium Notification.

Notice is hereby given, that the Fifth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1858-59, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 7th May 1860, at 11 A. M., and will comprize 1,780 Chests, viz. :—

Behar Opium	1,270
Benares ditto	510

Total Chests... 1,780

2. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 12th November 1859, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazette*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 22nd May 1860, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday, the 12th May 1860, and no Treasury Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 22nd May 1860.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertized for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium of 1858-59, will be brought to sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below.

5. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

	Behar about Chests.	Benares do do Chests.	Total about Chests.
On or about Monday, 11th June 1860	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 9th July "	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 6th August "	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 10th Sept "	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 8th October "	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 5th Nov. "	1270	510	1780
Ditto Wednesday, 5th Dec. "	1270	509	1779
	5885	2539	8424

By Order of the Board of Revenue,

E. H. LUSHINGTON,

Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 29th March 1860. }

Notice.

ALL Officers in charge of Treasuries, Civil and Military, are informed that the Pay Office at Julunder has been removed to Gwalior, and payment of the Troops in that Division commenced on the 3rd current.

E. DROWWORD,
Accountant General.

Notification, No. 44.

MR. R. C. P. PERRY, Sub-Assistant Commissioner, received charge of the Maunbhoom Treasury on the 20th instant.

MR. C. H. WILMOT, Assistant Commissioner, received charge of the Ragnachal Treasury, S. P., on the 20th instant.

F. LUSHINGTON,
Acct. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM;
Office of Accountant,
Government of Bengal,
The 21th April 1860. }

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

Districts.	Amounts available on this date.
* Backergunge,	... 20,000
Balasore,	... 20,000
Bardwan,	... 10,000
Chittagong,	... 1,00,000
Cuttack, & D.	... 20,000
Farruckpore,	... 25,000
* Jessore,	... 1,00,000
Jorehaut,	... 1,00,000
Kamroop,	... 50,000
Lucknypore,	... 50,000
Midnapore,	... 1,00,000
* Nuddia,	... 20,000
Pubnah,	... 50,000
Sylhet,	... 20,000

F. LUSHINGTON,
Acct. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BENGAL ACCTT.'S OFFICE,
The 21th April 1860. }

N. B.—These Treasuries will be cleared shortly if the amounts available are not taken up in Bills.

Bills applied for after 2 P. M. will not be issued till the following day.

Bills will not be granted for less than 50 Rupees.

* These Treasuries purchase Bank Post Bills.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The following alterations in the Bye-laws and Regulations as to Arts of the University have, with the sanction of His Honor the President in Council been made by the Senate, and are to take effect from the 1st of January 1862 :—

Bye-Laws.

I. Paras. 1 and 2 to be as follows :

1. The Senate, as constituted by Act No. II. of 1857, shall meet ordinarily once a year, on the second Saturday in December, and at other times when convened by the Vice-Chancellor.

II. Para. 5 to be subjoined as a foot-note to the words "the Senate."

III. Para. 17 to be in the following form :

It shall be the duty of the Syndicate to appoint, and, if necessary, to remove the Examiners and all other Officers of the University, except the Registrar; to order examinations in conformity with the Regulations, and to fix the times at which they shall be held; to grant Degrees, Honors, and Rewards; to keep the Accounts of the University; and to correspond on the business of the University with the Government and all other authorities.

Regulations, Entrance Examination.

IV. Para. 1 to be in the following form :

The Entrance Examination shall take place once a year, and shall commence in the first week* in December.

V. Para. 2 to be in the following form :

The chief Examination will be held in Calcutta, but Candidates may be examined at any of the under-mentioned places, *viz.*, Berhampore, Kishnaghur, Dacca, Chittagong, Cuttack, Bhagulpore, Patna, Benares, Agra, Delhi, Bareilly, Ajmere, Lahore, Colombo, and any other places hereafter to be appointed by the Syndicate.

VI. Para. 4 to be in the following form :

Candidates may send in their application, with Certificate in the Form (A), either direct to the Registrar, or to any Local Officer recognised by the Syndicate; but all such applications must be lodged with the Registrar at least fourteen days before the Examination begins.

VII. Para. 5 to be in the following form :

A fee of five Rupees shall be paid by each Candidate, and no Candidate shall be examined, unless he have previously paid this fee either to the Registrar, or to any Local Officer recognised by the Syndicate. If a Candidate fail to pass the Examination, the fee shall not be returned to him. He may be admitted to any one or more subsequent Entrance Examinations on payment of a like fee of five Rupees on each occasion.

The following alterations to be made in para. 7 :

a. Armenian to be added to the list of languages in which Candidates may elect to be examined.

b. The following sentence to be added immediately after the list of languages :

"Any other language may at any time be added to this list by the Syndicate."

c. For the word "Senate" to be substituted the word "Syndicate."

d. Under the heading URDU for the word "Gulibakawali" to be substituted the word "Ikhwān-e-Safā."

* The days of Examination to be fixed by the Syndicate.

e. Under the heading Mathematics, the subjects to be arranged in the following form :—

MATHEMATICS.*Arithmetic.*

The four simple Rules; Vulgar and Decimal Fractions; Reduction; Practice; Proportion; Simple Interest; and Extraction of the Square Root.

Algebra.

Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division of Algebraical quantities. Proportion. Simple Equations.

Geometry.

The first four books of Euclid, with such easy deductions and applications as arise directly out of those books.

f. In lieu of the Section commencing with "In branches" to be substituted the following :—

All answers in each branch shall be given in English, except when otherwise specified.

VIII. Para. 8 to be in the following form :

The Examination of the Candidates shall extend over four days, and shall be held in the morning from — to — and in the afternoon from — to —.*

IX. Para. 11 to be in the following form :

On the morning of the fourth Monday after the Examination, the Syndicate shall publish a list of such Candidates as have passed, arranged by the Examiners in two divisions, each in alphabetical order, and to every such Candidate shall be given a Certificate in the Form (B.)

Regulations, B. A. Degree.

X. Para. 1 to be as follows :

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts shall be required to have passed the Entrance Examination, and to pass two subsequent Examinations; one to be called the First Examination in Arts, and the other to be called the B. A. Examination.†

XI. Para. 2 to be as follows :

The Degree of B. A. shall not be conferred on any Candidate within four academical years from the time of his passing the Entrance Examination.

XII. The following Paras. to be added immediately after Para. 2 :—

3. The First Examination in Arts shall take place once a year, and shall commence, in the first week in January.

4. The chief Examination shall be held in Calcutta, but Candidates may be examined at any of the under-mentioned places, *viz.*, Berhampore, Kishnaghur, Dacca, Chittagong, Cuttack, Bhagulpore, Patna, Benares, Agra, Delhi, Bareilly, Ajmere, Lahore, Colombo, and any other places hereinafter to be appointed by the Syndicate.

5. No Candidate shall be admitted to this Examination within two academical years from the time of his passing the Entrance Examination, or unless he produce satisfactory testimonials from the authorities of any of the Colleges or Schools affiliated to the University (1) of moral character,

* The hours to be fixed by the Syndicate.

† Candidates who have passed the Entrance Examination in or before April 1862, will be admitted to the single B. A. Examination prescribed by the former Regulation (Copies of which may be had by application to the Registrar) either in January 1861, or January 1862, on producing the Certificates required by those Regulations. After 1862, the single Examination will be discontinued, and no Candidate will be admitted to the B. A. Degree who shall not have passed the double Examinations prescribed by the new Regulations.

and (2) of having prosecuted, during the period that has elapsed since his passing the Entrance Examination, a course of Study in any one or more such Institutions.*

6. Every person who has passed the Entrance Examination at either of the Universities of Madras and Bombay shall be admitted to this Examination, provided he shall produce satisfactory testimony that he is of good moral character, and that he has prosecuted, during the period that has elapsed since his passing the Entrance Examination, a regular course of Study in any of the Institutions affiliated to either of those Universities.

7. Candidates may send in their applications, with Certificate in the Form (C), either direct to the Registrar, or to any Local Officer recognised by the Syndicate; but all such applications must be lodged with the Registrar at least fourteen days before the Examination begins.

8. A fee of ten Rupees shall be paid by each Candidate. No Candidate shall be admitted to the Examination, unless he have previously paid this fee to the Registrar. If a Candidate fail to pass the Examination, the fee shall not be returned to him. He may be admitted to any one or more subsequent Examinations on payment of a like fee of ten Rupees for each Examination.

9. The Examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers only.

10. Candidates shall be examined in the following subjects:—

1. LANGUAGES.†

Two of the following Languages, of which English must be one:—

ENGLISH.

Greek.	Bengali.
Latin.	Oorya.
Hebrew.	Hindi.
Arabic.	Urdu.
Persian.	Burmese.
Sanscrit.	Armenian.

Any other language may at any time be added to this list by the Syndicate.

Candidates shall be examined in each of the languages in both Prose and Poetry, the subjects to be selected by the Syndicate at least two years previous to the Examination, from any approved Classical or Standard Works or Authors.

The papers in each language shall include questions on Grammar and Idiom.

Sentences in each of the languages in which the Candidates is examined, shall be given for translation into the other language.

II. HISTORY.

The History of England including that of British India to the end of the year 1815.

The Historical questions will include the geography of the countries to which they refer.

III. MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

Arithmetic.

Algebra.

Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division of Algebraical quantities, Simple and Quadratic Equations, and questions producing them.

Algebraical Proportion and Variation.

Permutations and Combinations.

Arithmetical and Geometrical Progression.

Binomial Theorem.

Simple and Compound Interest, Discount, and Annuities for terms of years.

The nature and use of Logarithms.

Geometry.

Euclid.

The first four books, the sixth book, and the eleventh book to Prop. XXI, with deductions.

Plane Trigonometry.

As far as the solution of all cases of plane Triangles.

Mechanics.

Composition and Resolution of forces.

The Mechanical Powers.

The centre of Gravity.

IV. MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

Mental Philosophy as contained in Abererombie.

Moral Philosophy as contained in Alererombie.

The Syndicate have the power, after communication with the Faculty of Arts, to appoint two years previous to the Examination such appropriate text books for Examination in particular subjects as they may deem expedient.

11. Candidates shall not be approved by the Examiners, unless they show a competent knowledge in each of the above-mentioned branches of Examination.

12. The Examination of the Candidates shall extend over four days, and shall be held in the morning from — to — and in the afternoon from — to —.*

13. On the morning of the fourth Monday after the Examination, the Examiners shall arrange in two divisions, the first in order of merit, and the second in alphabetical order, such of the Candidates as have passed, and to each successful Candidate shall be given a Certificate, in the Form (D), signed by the Registrar.

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION.

14. The B. A. Degree Examination shall take place once a year, and shall commence in the first week in January and shall be held only in Calcutta.

XIII. Para. 3 to be numbered (15) and to be in the following form:

15. No Candidate shall be admitted to this Examination within one academical year from the time of his passing the first Examination in Arts, or unless he produce satisfactory testimonials from the authorities of any of the Colleges or Schools affiliated to this University (1) of moral character, and (2) of having prosecuted for a period of at least one year, after passing the first Examination in Arts, a course of study in any such Institution.

XIV. Para. 4 to be omitted.

XV. Para. 5 to be numbered 16 and to be in the following form.

16. Applications must be made, and Certificates, in the form (E.), forwarded to the Registrar at least fourteen days before the Examination begins.

XVI. Para. 6 to be in the following form:

17. A fee of twenty Rupees shall be paid by each Candidate. No Candidate shall be admitted to the Examination, unless he have previously paid this fee to the Registrar. If a Candidate fail to pass the Examination, the fee shall not be returned. He may be admitted to any one or

* The Syndicate shall have power to make exceptions to this rule in favor of Deputy Inspectors of Schools and School-masters.

† The Examination in Languages will be such as to test a lower degree of competency than what is required for the Degree.

* The hours to be fixed by the Syndicate.

more subsequent Examinations on payment of a like fee of twenty Rupees for each Examination.

XVII. Para. 7 to be in the following form:

18. The Examination shall be conducted by means of printed papers only.

XIX. Para. 8 to be numbered 19 and the following alterations to be made in it:

a. The words "for the degree of B. A." to be omitted.

b. The word "Armenian" to be added to the list of languages.

c. The following sentence to be added immediately after the word "Armenian":—"Any other language may at any time be added to this list by the Syndicate."

d. Under the head of Bengali: "Betel Panchaling-sat" to be omitted.

e. Under the head "Oorya:" Butrish Singhasun to be added to "Hitopadesh."

f. Under the head "Hindi:" the following to be the subjects:—

"Ramayun and Shobhabilash."

g. The following to be the subjects in History. The Principles of Historic Evidence as treated in Isaac Taylor's two works on the subject.

Elphinstone's History of India.

Ancient History with special reference to the History of Greece to the death of Alexander, the History of Rome to the death of Augustus, the History of the Jews.

The Historical questions will include the geography of the countries to which they refer.

h. The following to be the subjects in Mathematics and Natural Philosophy:—

Geometry.

Conic Sections, treated Geometrically.

Mechanics.

The General Laws of motion.

The motion of falling bodies in free space and down inclined planes.

Hydrostatics, Hydraulics and Pneumatics.

Pressure of liquids and gases, its equal diffusion and variation as the depth.

Specific Gravity.

Description and explanation of the Barometer.

Siphon, common pump, forcing pump, air pump and steam engine.

Optics.

Reflection and Refraction at plane and spherical surfaces, Dispersion of light.

The Rainbow, the Sextant, the Lenses, the Telescope and the Eye.

i. Under the heading "Physical Sciences." For the detailed course in Chemistry, the following to be appointed:—

"Chambers's Chemistry, omitting organic Chemistry."

For Animal Physiology, the course to be the following:—

Animal Physiology, as contained in the first part of Knox's translation of Milne Edward's Zoology.

For Physical Geography the following to be appointed:—

Physical Geography as contained in Hughes.

j. The course in Mental and Moral Science to be as follows:—

Logic.

The Elements of Logic, as contained in Whately.

Moral Philosophy.

Moral Philosophy, as contained in Wayland and Abercrombie.

Mental Philosophy.

Mental Philosophy, as contained in Abercrombie and Dr. Payne.

XX. Para. 9 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 20:

20. Candidates shall not be approved by the Examiners unless they show a competent knowledge in each of the above-mentioned subjects of Examination.

XXI. Para. 10 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 21:

21. The Examination of the Candidates shall extend over six days.*

XXII. Para. 11 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 22:

22. On the morning of the fourth Monday after the Examination, the Examiners shall arrange in two divisions, the first in the order of merit, and the second in alphabetical order, such of the Candidates as shall have passed.

XXIII. Para. 12 to be omitted.

XXIV. Para. 13 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 23:

23. Any Candidate who has passed the Examination for the Degree of B. A., provided he have not delayed proceeding to the Examination for that Degree more than five years from the date of passing the Entrance Examination, may be examined for Honors in any one or more of the following branches:—

1. Languages.

2. History.

3. Mathematics and Natural Philosophy.

4. Natural History and the Physical Sciences.

5. The Mental and Moral Sciences.

XXV. Para. 14 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 24:

24. Candidates for Honors must give notice in writing to the Registrar, within one week after the declaration of the result of the B. A. Examination, specifying the branch or branches in which they desire to be examined.

XXVI. Paras. 15, 16, 17, 18 to be in the following forms, and to be numbered respectively, 25, 26, 27, 28.

25. Candidates for Honors in languages shall be examined in Latin and Greek, or in English and Arabic, or in English and Sanscrit.

The subjects of Examination shall be as follows:

In Greek and Latin.

Homér.

The last twelve Books of the Iliad and the first six Books of the Odyssey.

Æschylus.

Seven against Thebes, and Persæ.

Sophocles.

Œdipus Coloneus, and Antigone.

Euripides—Hippolytus, and Bacchæ.

Aristophanes—The Knights.

Herodotus—Books VIII, IX.

Thucydides—Books II, VI, VII.

Plato—Protagoras, and Georgias.

Aristotle—The first three Books and the fifth Book of the Nicomachean Ethics.

Demosthenes—On the Crown, and against Midias.

Plautus—Miles Gloriosus, and Menæchmi.

Terence—Adelphi, and Phormio.

Lucretius—Book I.

Virgil.

Horace.

* The days and hours of Examination shall be fixed by the Syndicate.

Juvenal—Sat. 3, 10.
Cicero—De Oratore, the Academics, and the orations Pro Plancio and Pro Murena.
Livy, Books XXI, XXII, XXIII.
Tacitus—The Histories.

In English.

A range of subjects equivalent to that in Latin or Greek, to be selected by the Syndicate two years before the Examination.

In Arabic.

Alif Lailah, Nafhat-al-Yuman, Ikhwan-al-Safa, Tarikh-al-Kholfa, Tarikh Yamini, Hamasah, Maqamat Hariri (one half), Dewan Ibn Fariz.

In Sanscrit.

Raghuvansa, Kumar Sambhava, Kiratarjuniya Sisupalavadha, Viracharita, Uttaracharita, Mud-rarakshasa, Sakontala, Kadambari, Part I.

The Examination shall include translation into the Vernacular Language of the Candidate, and re-translation from his Vernacular into the language or languages selected. It shall also include Composition in his Vernacular upon questions arising out of the authors selected for Examination. The Candidates will also be examined in Comparative Grammar and Philology, and the principles of Composition.

The Examination shall be so conducted as to test the exact and critical acquaintance of the Candidates with the subjects selected by the Syndicate, and also their general acquaintance with the literature of the Languages in which they are examined.

26. II. Candidates for Honors in History shall be examined in the following subjects:—

History of a period, to be announced by the Syndicate two years before the Examination, including Constitutional Law, Manners, Literature and Geography in its bearing on History.

Ethnology.

History of modern civilization.

Constitutional History and Law of England.

An English Essay on an Historical Subject.

Political Economy.

27. III. Candidates for Honors in Mathematics and Natural Philosophy shall be examined in the following subjects:—

Algebra, including the theory of Equations.

Analytical Geometry (Plane and Solid.)

Differential and Integral Calculus.

Spherical Trigonometry.

Statics and Dynamics.

Hydrostatics.

Hydraulics and Pneumatics.

Optics.

Astronomy.

28. IV. Candidates for Honors in Natural History and the Physical Sciences shall be examined in the following subjects:—

Zoology and Animal Physiology.

Botany and Vegetable Physiology.

Geology and Mineralogy.

Chemistry.

Electricity, Galvanism and Magnetism.

Meteorology.

Physical Geography.

XXVII. Paras. 19, 20, to be numbered 29, 30, respectively.

XXVIII. Para. 21 to be numbered 31 and to be in the following form:

31. The Examination for Honors shall take place in the following order, beginning in the

first week of March: Languages; Mathematics and Natural Philosophy; Natural History and Physical Science; Mental and Moral Science.

XXIX. Para. 22 be omitted.

Paras. 23 and 24 to be numbered respectively 32, 33.

XXX. Para. 25 to be in the following form and to be numbered 34:

34. The first Student of the first Class in each branch shall receive a Gold Medal and a prize of Books, to the value of one hundred Rupees; and the second Student of the first Class in each branch shall receive a Silver Medal and a prize of Books to the value of one hundred Rupees.

XXXI. Paras. 26, 27 to be numbered respectively 35, 36.

XXXII. Para. 28 to be in the following form, and to be numbered 37:

37. No Special Examination will be held, but the Candidate must pass the Honor Examination, in at least one of the prescribed branches of knowledge. He must give notice in writing to the Registrar, in or before the first week of February, of his intention to enter for the Examination, specifying the branch in which he desires to be examined, and must, at the same time, furnish a Certificate of having received the Degree of B. A.

XXXIII. Para. 29 to be as follows, and to be numbered 38:

38. Every Candidate for the Degree of M. A. is expected to possess a competent knowledge of every subject included in the branch in which he is examined.

XXXIV. Paras. 30 and 31 to be numbered 39 and 40 respectively.

XXXV. Para. headed "General" to be removed to the end of the Regulations as to Civil Engineering.

FORMS.

I.—ARTS.

ENTRANCE.

FORM (A).

To the Registrar of the Calcutta University.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University: I wish to be examined in English and the

I am, &c.,

Particulars to be filled in by the Candidate.

Name,

Age,

Religion,

Race (i. e. nation, tribe, &c., &c.),

Where educated,

Present position (i. e. at School, or present occupation),

Town or village where resident,

Names of parents or guardians,

Where to be examined.

This certificate is to be signed by the Principal or Head Master of the College or School at which the Candidate has been or is being educated, or, if not educated at a College or School, by the Deputy Inspector of Schools of the District in which he resides.

I certify that the above-named Candidate has, to the best of my belief, attained the age of 16 years; that I know nothing against his moral character, and that he has signed the above in my presence on this day.

(Signed)

The

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FORM (B).

University of Calcutta.

I certify that duly passed the Entrance Examination held in the month of 18 , and has been placed in the division.

(Signed)

The

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Registrar.

FIRST EXAMINATION.

FORM (C).

To the Registrar of the University of Calcutta.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing First Examination in Arts. In addition to the necessary subjects, I offer to be examined in the language.

I am, &c., &c.,

* Particulars to be filled in by the Candidate.

Age
Race (i. e. nation, tribe, &c., &c.)
Religion
Present occupation
Date of Entrance
Where to be examined

Period or periods of study since passing the Entrance Examination.

Affiliated Institution, or Institutions, at which Candidate has studied.	Period or periods of continuous study.	Signatures of Principals, or Head Masters, of affiliated Institutions.

CERTIFICATE.

I certify that the above named Candidate has satisfied me, by the production of the Registrar's Certificate; that he has passed the Entrance Examination of the University of

This Certificate to be signed by a Principal or Head Master of an affiliated Institution.

that I know nothing against his moral character; and that I believe the above account to be true.

(Signed)

FORM (D).

University of Calcutta.

I certify that duly passed the First Examination in Arts, held in 18 , and has been placed in the division.

(Signed)

Registrar.

The

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BACHELOR OF ARTS (B. A.)

FORM (E).

To the Registrar of the University of Calcutta.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing Examination for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts. In addition to the necessary subjects, I offer to be examined in the language.

I am, &c., &c.,

Particulars to be filled in by the Candidate.

Age
Date of Entrance
Date of passing First Examination
Race (i. e. nation, tribe, &c., &c.)
Religion
Present occupation

Period or periods of study since passing the first Examination.

Affiliated Institution, or Institutions, at which Candidate has studied.	Period or periods of continuous study.	Signatures of Principals, or Head Masters, of affiliated Institutions.

CERTIFICATE.

I certify that the above-named Candidate has satisfied me by the pro-

This Certificate to be signed by a Principal or Head Master of an affiliated Institution. duction of the Registrar's Certificate; that he has passed the First Examination in Arts of the University of Calcutta; that I know nothing against his moral character; and that I believe the above account to be true.

(Signed)

By Order of the Vice-Chancellor,

H. SCOTT SMITH, A. M.,

Registrar.

The 12th April 1900.

Notification.

To the Officers of the Political, Judicial, Revenue, Customs, Salt, Opium and other branches of the Service.

THE Civil Auditor has the honor to request that Disbursing Officers, in charge of Civil Establishments, will be good enough to submit, as soon after the 1st of May next as may be practicable, separate from their April Pay Abstracts, the Annual Detailed Statements of the respective Establishments as per Forms Nos. 1, 2 and 3, furnished for their guidance in 1849, annexing a note to each of the above Statements showing the items of expenditure which though sanctioned, has not been actually incurred, with reference to Financial Resolution of 29th October 1857, No. 4751. Pending the receipt of these documents the audit of their April Abstracts will, under Financial Resolution of 7th September 1842, be withheld.

The usual Annual Returns of Uncovenanted Servants up to 1st May 1860, as well as separate Statements showing the periods of leave granted to Uncovenanted Assistants, are also requested to be furnished in Forms Nos. 4 and 5, with the above Annual Detailed Statements.

W. P. PALMER,
Civil Auditor.

FORT WILLIAM:
Civil Auditor's Office,
The 17th April 1860. }

Notification.

THE Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces, has the honor to repeat his annual call to all Disbursing Officers in charge of Civil Establishments, and to Commandants of Military Police Battalions in the North-Western Provinces, for the submission (as soon after the 1st May next, as practicable, with the April Abstract) of their regular Annual Detailed Statement, containing the names and full particulars of the whole of the Establishment; and to observe that, with reference to the Orders of Government, dated 15th October 1842, published in the *Agra Government Gazette* of the 15th November 1842, the audit of their Abstracts for April next will be withheld until the receipt of the required Returns.

2. To facilitate check, it is particularly requested that the Abstract for April be sub-divided into distinct headings, so that each description of Office, with its total, shall correspond with the details given in the Statement of Establishment for the 1st May, agreeably to the form furnished.

3. It is also requested that the three separate Lists prescribed for all Uncovenanted Civil Servants (Europeans and East Indians) and Natives, (in the last the names of only those holding appointments of trust and responsibility should be inserted) employed on their Establishments, be furnished for 1st May 1860, without delay.

J. ENDS,
Offg. Civil Auditor.

Civil Auditor's Office, N. W. P.;
Allahabad, the 17th April 1860. }

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the improvements in the Channel of the Ban-sputter Khall, which connects the Damoodah River at Moirakah with the Hooghly River at Oolobarriah, will be completed on the 30th April 1860, when the Dams will be removed and the Channel be opened for Navigation, during high Tides and Floods, between the Damoodah and Hooghly Rivers, and that a Public Auction will be held at Oolobarriah, in the Duak Bungalow, at Noon on the 25th April 1860, by the Executive Engineer of the Burdwan Division, for the sale of the Toll Collections to the highest bidder, who will have to deposit 500 Rupees, and to make that sum up to one-fourth of the amount of the Farm before the 1st May 1860, when the agreement will be signed and completed.

The Toll Collections are to be made according to the subscribed Schedule approved of by Government, and the period of the lease will extend from the 1st May to the 30th November 1860, both days inclusive.

For further particulars apply to W. Smith, Esquire, Executive Engineer of the Division at Burdwan, or to Sergeant J. Keane, Assistant Overseer at Moirakah.

Schedule of Rates at which Tolls will be levied at the Ban-sputter Channel.

- All Boats to pay (5) eight annas per 100 mds.
- " Empty (4) four annas per 100 mds.
- " Rafts (1) one anna per each Timber.
- " Floats (2) two annas per 100 Bamboos.
- " Passenger Boats (3) two annas per Oar.
- " Empty Passenger Boats (1) one anna each.

W. SMITH, C. E.,

Executive Engineer, Burdwan Division.

BURDWAN,
The 11th April 1860 }

Notice.

REQUIRED, a Treasurer for the Collectorate of Zillah Nowgong, Assam. Salary 65 Rupees per mensem. Security will be required to the extent of 10,000 Rupees in cash, or Landed Property valued at 6 Rupees per Poorah. Application, with Certificates of character and qualifications, to be submitted to the Collector of Nowgong, Assam.

H. SCORCE,
Collector.

ASSAM COLLECTORSHIP;
Zillah Nowgong,
The 7th April 1860. }

Notification.

IN Condition 2nd Advertizement of Sale printed at Page 712, *Government Gazette* 18th April 1860, for the word "cases" read "leases."

C. HOARHOUSE,
Collector.

ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that the Zemindaree Right of Government to the several Khas Mehals situated in the district of Burdwan and mentioned in the Statement hereto annexed will be put up to sale, under orders of Government contained in their Under-Secretary's letter, addressed to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, under date the 3rd November 1859, No. 2722, in the Burdwan Collectorate, on the 24th April 1860, corresponding with the Bengalee date 13th Bysack 1267. The purchaser of such Mehal will be subject to the conditions laid down below.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

- 1st.—Estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price.
- 2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing Leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and laws in force and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the jummabundee made by the Revenue authorities.
- 3rd.—When the amount of purchase money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount to be paid down at once.
- 4th.—When the amount of purchase money exceeds 100 Rs. a deposit to be at once made of Rs. 25 per cent. upon the amount bid, the same to be forfeited to Government if the whole amount of purchase money be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one.
- 5th.—The right of Government to all minerals to be reserved.

C. P. HOBHOUSE,
Collector.

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE,
The 1st February 1860. }

No.	Towjee No.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Area.	Sudder Jamma.	Upset Price.	REMARKS.
1st CLASS.						
1	2402	Aima Kurnapoor Ph. Chumpanughuree	0 0 0	1 0 0	1 4 0	
25	2475	Roypoor Ph. Azmutshahae	4 15 0	0 8 0	1 4 3	
29	3559	Kourdihee Ph. Sherghur	7 0 0	1 5 0	1 12 0	
30	3551	Ditto ditto	0 2 12	0 8 3	0 11 0	
31	3552	Ditto ditto	0 2 0	0 8 0	0 0 0	
34	4543	Dahooka Ph. Sherghur	3 16 0	0 12 0	1 6 0	
36	2450	Habushpoor Ph. Havily	5 2 0	1 1 0	1 8 10	
48	2560	Shairpoor Ph. Seelampoor	3 4 0	0 0 8	0 12 10	
50	3564	Sookrah Ph. Sharghur	0 5 6	0 14 0	1 5 6	
51	3704	Kourdihee Ph. ditto	12 8 0	1 8 6	1 14 7	
52	3706	Ditto ditto	3 15 0	0 12 9	0 15 0	
53	3708	Ditto ditto	3 7 0	0 12 1	1 4 1	
54	184	ChurSukteeppoor Ph. Pulasee	220 2 12	163 9 8	163 9 8	
61	3228	Shamook Ph. Azmutshahae	2 16 8	0 8 0	0 8 0	
71	4710	Kullampoor Ph. ditto	4 0 13	1 2 4	1 14 7	
72	5121	Baloon Ph. ditto	6 12 0	0 8 6	0 8 9	
78	3128	Roypoor Ph. Sharghur	10 1 7	1 3 3	1 11 4	
83	3290	Mehadebpoor Ph. Gopebhoom	31 18 14	1 2 0	1 14 0	
84	3385	Kourdihee Ph. Sherghur	2 12 8	1 4 4	1 15 4	
85	4812	Shamutpoor Ph. Monchurshahae	0 16 2	0 8 0	0 8 10	
2ND CLASS.						
2	2401	Aima Raiepoor Ph. Monchurshahae	30 10 0	12 6 11	15 8 8	
3	4180	Dharmas Ph. Ranibate	2 18 2	7 0 0	7 0 0	
4	4725	Kootas Sonaroondees Ph. Monchurshahae	0 15 0	15 2 2	7 8 4	
6	3914	Sreerampoor Ph. Azmutshahi	10 14 2	3 11 2	7 1 11	
7	4252	Gopalpoor Ph. ditto	14 18 6	5 19 3	8 2 4	

No.	Towjee No.	Names of Mehals and Pergunnahs.	Area.	Sudder Jamma.	Upset Price.	REMARKS.
8	2403	Aima Hatia Danga Ph. Monohursahi ...	50 0 6	12 8 8	60 12 3	
9	5249	Boshuntapoor Ph. ditto ...	38 2 3	13 12 8	17 3 10	
10	2797	Muddondanga included in Bussantpoor Ph. ditto	07 10 6	33 11 3	39 14 1	
11	3591	Furriadpoor Ph. Sherghur..	40 15 12	8 7 3	11 4 4	
16	4253	Mooragatcha ...	1 19 10	1 3 2	1 9 5	
17	4977	Edrakpoor Ph. Janhirabad	44 3 11	10 1 0	12 9 3	
18	3131	Chuck Donal Ph. Sherghur	3 4 0	0 13 2	1 10 5	
20	3553	Ookrah Ph. ditto ...	0 10 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	
21	5035	Bizpoor Ph. Sherghur ...	2 14 8	1 4 0	1 9 0	
22	4990	Aukulpoor Ph. ditto ...	3 3 5	1 0 0	1 5 9	
24	3908	Ramkistapoor Ph. Dhaisa	2 8 0	3 4 0	3 11 6	
26	4976	Jaggeshur Dilce Ph. ditto	19 14 0	1 1 1	1 6 1	
28	3960	Khandra Ph. Sherghur	11 6 0	3 13 0	1 3 10	
32	4727	Rukhitpoor Ph. Senpaharee	0 11 8	3 1 0	6 2 0	
35	4281	Geedram Ph. Arsha ...	9 10 5	3 12 2	6 13 4	
37	2781	Oosmanpoor Ph. Ranibatee	1 6 1	4 2 8	6 15 2	
38	4253	Cossypoor Ph. Muzaffur Shahee	4 3 11	3 6 2	4 3 3	
39	5034	Kotalghose Ph. Azmut-shahee	2 6 10	1 8 9	2 9 5	
40	5723	Socalee Ph. Havellee ...	22 1 0	35 10 9	47 7 3	
41	4254	Umbika Ph. Umbika ...	0 11 0	0 11 3	1 2 10	
42	4330	Koygong Ph. Monohursahi	4 12 14	1 1 8	3 8 1	
43	4329	Ditto ditto ...	19 6 0	6 12 7	9 0 9	
44	4119	Bhatrah Ph. Ranibatee ...	0 13 3	1 2 3	1 14 5	
45	4282	Gidram Ph. Arsha ...	2 8 0	1 8 5	2 12 4	
46	4328	Mazeepookra Ph. Shaighur	6 12 15	1 2 7	1 10 7	
47	4327	Aukulpoor Ph. ditto ...	4 12 13	2 8 5	4 3 4	
55	4996	Koy Chur Ph. Deia ...	0 12 4	0 10 5	1 0 6	
56	3327	Chur Baliarra Alias Belleher Ph. Monohurshahes	23 4 0	31 3 9	31 11 3	
57	4726	Benilee Ph. Sherghur ...	10 16 11	3 8 5	5 14 0	
58	2954	Jamsoulee Ph. Sherghur...	28 2 10	12 0 0	20 0 0	
59	3225	Shamook Ph. Azmutshahi.	13 11 5	5 8 0	8 13 11	
60	4129	Khandra Ph. Govindpoor Ph. Shempaharee	83 17 7	20 3 9	34 11 8	
62	3231	Shamook Ph. Amut-shahee	7 7 0	2 8 0	3 8 6	
63	2785	Amdadpoor Ph. Rgnubatee	3 17 8	1 1 6	1 11 1	
64	4412	Gidram Ph. Arsha	11 6 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	
65	4460	Gungapoor Ph. Ookhra ...	50 6 6	35 11 1	41 9 10	
66	2964	Chuck Noda Ph. Azmut-shahee	0 13 9	1 8 0	2 8 2	
67	3252	Sheebarambatee included in Koolgatchee Ph. Indranee	1 3 0	0 8 0	0 9 7	
70	4678	Geedram Ph. Arsha	09 18 10	20 6 4	34 0 0	
73	4723	Rukhitpoor Ph. Saenpaharee	50 10 9	6 3 3	8 4 4	
74	3969	Goalla Dospoor Ph. ditto	53 3 4	29 4 3	43 14 0	
75	4720	Shuru-shuttegunge ...	24 11 2	0 8 3	15 13 9	
76	2610	Amlajole Ph. ditto ...	41 10 9	8 8 8	11 6 2	
77	4232	Umbika Ph. Umbika ...	4 4 12	0 12 8	1 9 4	
79	2941	Khosihat Ph. Indranee ...	2 17 0	1 8 6	1 14 7	
80	2944	Alma Bijoor Ph. Ranibatee	1 10 12	0 13 7	1 8 7	
81	1981	Mourgram Ph. Monohursahi	4 0 1	4 8 1	6 0 1	
82	2359	Chur Mahata Ph. Pulasee	35 15 0	31 1 3	34 8 6	
86	2875	Julkur Bhaudar Da Ph. Umbika	0 0 0	125 0 0	137 8- 0	
87	2940	Ghosehaut Ph. Indranee...	12 6 0	8 7 10	9 15 10	
91	28 Chakera	Sharangpoor Ph. Havilee	15 11 8	5 0 0	6 15 0	
92	29 Ditto	Burooa Ph. Salarika ...	4 0 0	1 11 0	2 4 0	
93	30 Ditto	Kunddurpopoor Ph. Sahabad	2 10 8	2 8 11	2 8 11	

Supplementary Statement showing the average rates of Victualling and Dieting European Troops in the Bengal Presidency for one month in 1859-60.

Names of Corps and where Stationed.	VICTUALLING EACH MAN		DIETING EACH MAN.	
	Per Diem.	Per Mensem.	Per Diem.	Per Mensem.
PESHAWAR.				
Her Majesty's 81st Regiment ...	0 5 0 ¹	9 12 3	0 7 11 ¹	15 6 0 ¹
Her Majesty's 91th Regiment ...	0 5 0 ¹	9 12 3	0 8 3 ¹	16 0 4 ¹
No. 7 Battery 11th Brigade Royal Artillery ...	0 4 11 ¹	0 10 4	0 7 9	15 0 3
3rd Troop 2nd Brigade Horse Artillery ...	0 5 0	9 11 0	0 11 3 ¹	21 13 4 ¹
3rd Co. 6th Battalion Artillery ...				
Head-Quarters and 3rd Co. 2nd Battalion Foot Artillery ...				
Head-Quarters Her Majesty's 98th Regiment, Nowshera ..	0 4 9 ¹	9 4 6	0 7 6 ¹	14 9 1 ¹
Detachment of Her Majesty's 98th Regiment, Attock ..	0 5 0	9 11 7	0 7 2 ¹	13 15 5 ¹
Her Majesty's 5th Bengal European Light Cavalry, Campbellpore	0 4 9 ¹	9 4 0 ¹	0 7 7 ¹	14 11 8 ¹
ALLAHABAD.				
Her Majesty's 5th Fusiliers ...	0 5 5 ¹	10 4 6 ¹	0 11 4 ¹	21 5 11
Her Majesty's 48th Regiment ...	0 6 9	12 10 5 ¹	0 11 9 ¹	22 2 6
No. 1 Battery 11th Brigade Royal Artillery ...	0 6 1	11 6 5 ¹	0 11 2 ¹	21 1 3
2nd Troop 2nd Brigade Horse Artillery ...	0 6 8 ¹	12 11 1 ¹	0 8 0 ¹	15 1 2

W. B. THOMSON,
Commissary General.

Advertisement of Soonderbun Commissioner's Office.

NOTICE is hereby given under Clause 1st, Rule 1st, for the grant of waste lands in the Soonderbuns, of the 24th September 1853, that an application has been received for the following Mohal in the Soonderbuns:—

Name of Mohal.	Description of Land.	Estimated area of land in Beegahs.	Name of Applicant.	REMARKS.
Kurriebarresh in Zillah Backergunge ...	Jungle ...	2,000 0 ■	Oomakantho Roy ...	This Mohal is in the Backergunge Soonderbuns.

SOONDERBUN COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE ;
Morrellgunge,
The 17th April 1860. }

J. H. BAILY,
Soonderbun Commissioner.

Nudea Rivers Division.
MONTHLY STATEMENT of Traffic passed through the Toll Stations of Jangpore and Kishangpur, during the month of March 1960.

Name of River.	Name of Toll Office	Charcoal		Loh.		Piece Goods, Cotton & Woollen Textiles		Hides		Cotton		Castor Seed		Jaggery		Gummi Bams		Lime		Lime Stone or Gypsum		Grain	
		Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River
Jangpore		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kishangpur		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kishangpur		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Name of River.	Name of Toll Office	Pulse		Forward		Timber		Mustard Oil		Soybean Oil		Sisal		Sugar		Paddy		Wheat		Rumex	
		Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River	Number of Bales	Value by River
Jangpore		10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20
Kishangpur		10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20
Kishangpur		10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20	10	20

CAMP PASSKEY :
Phangirvilee River,
The 12th April 1960.

L. M. ANANDAN, S. S. S. S.
Deputy, Nudea River

Nuddoa Rivers.

BI-WEEKLY Water Report, showing the least Depth of Water in the Bhagiruttie River, from 14th to 18th April 1860

NAMES OF PLACES, &c	Least Depth of Water	Remarks
Above its Entrance in Ganges	Ft In 4 0	The bed of the Bhagiruttie, at its Entrance, having been lowered nearly 14 feet since last November the River, as it now exists, lies between comparatively high banks of loose fine sand
On the Entrance Bar .	2 4	
From thence to Jungypore, 13½ Miles ..	1 0*	The late rains have washed considerable quantities of these cruded sands into the Channel below the Entrance and silted it up very much. With no useful flood in the feeder and with present means of working not much improvement in the depth of the river can take place before the Ganges rises next month
From Jungypore to Berhampore, 46 Miles .	2 0	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 Miles .	2 2	
And from Cutwa to Nuddoa, 4 Miles ...	2 5	

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore on the 17th April 1860, minus 5 inches

T. N. ARMSTRONG, C. E.,
Supdt., Nuddoa Rivers.

CAMP JUNGYPORE,
The 19th April 1860. }

* At Geriah Shoal.

For Dacca and Assam.

The *Adjai*, with the *Migna* in tow, will be despatched at 2 P. M. on the 1st proximo.

Packages accompanied with freight money to be sent at once to the Boat Office.

By Order of the Superintendent of Marine,

W. WHITE,
Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

The 24th April 1860.

Memorandum.

The Time Ball at the Semaphore Tower this day not dropping at the proper time, should not be used in rating Chronometers.

(Signed) RADHANATH SIKDHAR,
In charge of the Observatory.

SEVENTH GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Calcutta, 23rd April 1860. }

Notice

Is hereby given, for the information of all Treasury Officers, that Bills issued from this date from the Sultunpore Treasury bear a higher General Printed Number than those hitherto in use.

J. PRAXTER,

Offg. Deputy Commissioner.

SULTANPORE;
Deputy Commissionership,
The 19th April 1860. }

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Tara- } On Wednesday, the
prokash Gangooly, late 18th day of April instant,
of Durmahutta Street, in it was ordered that the
Burra Bazar in Calcutta, matters of the petition of
formerly a Banian in the said Insolvent be heard
the late firm of Messrs. on Saturday, the 2nd day
J. M. Dove and Co., an of June next, and that the
Insolvent. } said Insolvent do then
attend to be examined by the said Court.

T. Owen, Attorney.

In the matter of } On Wednesday, the
Charles Henry Marks, 18th day of April instant,
lately residing at No. 8, it was ordered that the
Garden Reach in the matters of the petition
Suburbs of Calcutta, but of the said Insolvent be
now residing at No. 27, heard on Saturday, the
Garden Reach, and 7th day of July next,
lately carrying on busi- and that the said Insol-
ness at No. 1 Mangoe vent do then attend to
Lane in Calcutta, as a be examined by the said
Ship and Freight Bro- Court.
ker, an Insolvent. }

Owen and Sanderson, Attorneys.

In the matter of Door- } On Thursday, the
gapersand and Poorst- 19th day of April in-
tum Doss, of Burra Ba- stant, it was ordered that
zar in Calcutta, carrying the matters of the peti-
on trade as Cloth Mer- tion of the said Insol-
chants and Brokers, In- vents be heard on Satur-
solvents } day, the 2nd day of
June next, and that the said Insolvents do then
attend to be examined by the said Court.

Templeton and Carapiet, Attorneys.

In the matter of Nobo- } On Thursday, the 19th
gopaul Banerjee, of Jo- day of April instant,
rasanko in Calcutta, a } it was ordered that the
Writer, an Insolvent. } matters of the petition
of the said Insolvent be heard on Saturday, the
19th day of July next, and that the said Insolvent
do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Anley and Sitas, Attorneys.

In the matter of Dabee } On Thursday, the
churn Bannerjee, of } 19th day of April
Jorasanko, in Calcutta, } instant, it was ordered
a Writer, an Insolvent. } that the matters of the
petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Saturday,
the 7th day of July next, and that the said In-
solvent do then attend to be examined by the
said Court.

Anley and Sims, Attorneys.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th April 1860.

In the matter of Sun- } On Saturday, the 14th
gunioll, an Insolvent. } day of April instant, it
was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide
the sum of Co.'s Rs. 1,791-7-9 to and amongst all
the Creditors upon the Estate of the said Insolvent
as a Dividend at the rate of Co.'s Rs. 3 per Cent.
upon such of the debts admitted in the Schedule
of the said Insolvent and claims proved as have
been duly substantiated in proportion to their
several debts and upon the other debts admitted in
the Schedule, when and so soon as such debts or
any of them shall be duly substantiated upon
Affidavit filed in this Court, with liberty to the
said Assignee to apply to the Court from time to
time for directions respecting any debts or any
other matter or thing relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Louis } On Saturday, the 14th
Alexander Quillet, an } day of April instant, it
Insolvent. } was ordered that the
Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Co.'s Ru-
pees 718-7 to and amongst all the Creditors upon
the Estate of the said Insolvent as a Dividend at
the rate of Co.'s Rupees 70 per Cent upon such of
the debts admitted in the Schedule of the said
Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly
substantiated in proportion to their several debts
and upon the other debts admitted in the Sched-
ule, when and so soon as such debts or any of
them shall be duly substantiated upon Affidavit
filed in this Court, with liberty to the said Assign-
ee to apply to the Court from time to time for
directions respecting any debts or any other mat-
ter or thing relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Annie } On Saturday, the 14th
Gillespie Skinner, an } day of April instant, it
Insolvent. } was ordered that the
Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Company's
Rupees 764-14 to and amongst all the Creditors
upon the Estate of the said Insolvent as a Dividend
at the rate of Company's Rupees 12 per Cent. upon
such of the debts admitted in the Schedule of the
said Insolvent and claims proved as have been duly
substantiated in proportion to their several debts
and upon the other debts admitted in the Schedule,
when and so soon as such debts or any of them
shall be duly substantiated upon Affidavit filed in
this Court, with liberty to the said Assignee to
apply to the Court from time to time for directions
respecting any debts or any other matter or thing
relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Charles } On Saturday, the 14th
William Saliz and ano- } day of April instant, it
ther, Insolvents. } was ordered that the As-
signee do pay and divide the sum of Company's
Rupees 9,126 to and amongst all the Creditors upon
the Estate of the said Insolvent as a Dividend at
the rate of Company's Rupees 67-4 per Cent. upon
such of the debts admitted in the Schedule of the
said Insolvent and claims proved as have been
duly substantiated in proportion to their several
debts and upon the other debts admitted in the
Schedule, when and so soon as such debts or any
of them shall be duly substantiated upon Affidavit
filed in this Court, with liberty to the said As-
signee to apply to the Court from time to time
for directions respecting any debts or any other
matter or thing relating thereto.

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Allan } On Saturday, the 14th
Gilmore and others, In- } day of April instant, an
solvents. } account of the Receipts
and Disbursements of the Official Assignee from
the 1st day of August 1858 to the 1st day of
April 1860, was filed in the Office of the Chief
Clerk, and it was ordered that Saturday, the 5th
day of May next, be appointed for the further
hearing in this matter for the purpose of making
a Dividend.

"Any Creditor or other person interested, who may
intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the
Estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be
heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three
clear days before the day of hearing."

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Sir } On Saturday, the 14th
Albert John DeLoche- } day of April instant, an
pied Larpent, Baronet, } account of the Receipts
an Insolvent. } and Disbursements of the
(Estate of Larpent, } Official Assignee from
Saunders and Co.) } the 9th day of June
1858 to the 31st day of March 1860, was filed in
the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered
that Saturday, the 5th day of May next, be ap-
pointed for the further hearing in this matter for
the purpose of making a Dividend.

"Any Creditor or other person interested,
who may intend to establish or oppose any claim
upon the Estate of the said Insolvent, may attend
and be heard, having given notice to the Chief
Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing."

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the several matters } On Saturday, the 14th
of C. R. Lackersteen } day of April instant, it
and others, Andrew } was ordered upon the
Hervey, Mathew Steel } application of the Offi-
Templeton, Watson and } cial Assignee that five
Co., and Gibson and } several accounts of Un-
Co., Insolvents. } claimed Dividends in
the above matter be received and filed in the
Office of the Chief Clerk

J. Cochrane, Official Assignee.

In the matter of Ezra } On Saturday, the
Cohen, an Insolvent. } 14th day of April in-
stant, it was ordered that Friday, the 1st day of
October next, be appointed for the further hearing
of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to
the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be

discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liability for debts, claims and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Gillanders, *Attorneys*.

In the matter of Elias } On Friday, the 20th
Ezra, an Insolvent. } day of April instant,
by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was
adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under
the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI., as to all persons
named in his Schedule as Creditors or claiming
to be Creditors respectively.

Templeton and Carapiet, *Attorneys*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 23rd April 1860.

The Bengal Coal Company, "Limited."

Notice is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on Saturday, the 9th day of June, now next ensuing, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Office of the Company, No. 6, Church Lane, Calcutta, for the purpose of confirming the proposed New Deed of the Company with the several amendments, additions, and alterations made thereto in and by the several Resolutions of the Shareholders, passed at their Special General Meeting, held on the 14th day of January last.

By Order of the Directors,

GORDON, STUART AND CO.,

Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, }
The 6th February 1860. }

Notice.

HAVING transferred our business to Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company from the 1st of March 1860, that Firm will conduct the same for the future.

All parties indebted to us are requested to make their payments to Messrs. Schoene, Kilburn and Company, who will also liquidate any claims against our Firm.

H. IRELAND AND CO.

The Calcutta Steam Tug Association, "Limited."

In accordance with the Resolution passed at the last Half-yearly General Meeting, a Special General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Secretaries on Thursday, 26th instant, at noon, "to consider the general position of the Association."

By Order of the Directors,

GORDON, STUART & CO.,

Secys., Cal. S. T. Assn. Ltd.

Assam Company.

It is hereby notified, that the Office of Secretary and Accountant to the Assam Company will shortly become vacant by the resignation of Mr. Carter. Applications for the appointment by letter accompanied by testimonials should be addressed to the Managing Director.

By Order of the Board,

T. E. CARTER,

Secretary.

Lost, Stolen or Destroyed,

THE under-mentioned Government Promissory Note, standing in the name of Fatma Begum, the Proprietress, by whom it was never endorsed to any person. Payment of the Note and of Interest thereupon has been stopped at the Loan Office, and application is about to be made to Government for the issue of a duplicate Note in favor of the Proprietress. —

No. 37487 for Rupees 7,000 of 1854-55.

FATMA BEGUM.

LUCKNOW, }
The 11th April 1860. }

Lost, Stolen, or Destroyed,

From the late Cawnpore Magazine during the Mutiny of 1857. The following Government Promissory Note, of the four per Cent. Loan, which was deposited as Security by Ishreepershaud, Government Harness Contractor.

No. 8473 of 2128 of four per Cent. Loan of 1835-36, for Rupees 1000.

Last endorsed to the late Nicholas Rielly, Assistant Commissary, Ordnance Department, in charge of Cawnpore Harness Depôt. Payment of the above Note and of Interest thereupon has been stopped at the Loan Office, and application is about to be made to Government for the issue of duplicate Note in favor of the Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, now in charge of the Harness Depôt.

J. STEWART, *Lieut.,*

Deputy Commissary of Ordnance.

CAWNPORE; }
H. & S. D. Office, }
The 12th April 1860. }

Lost.

THE Right-hand Halves of Bank of Bengal Notes, No. 08515C for Rupees 50, and No. 02044B for Rupees 25, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank of Bengal.

Lost.

FIRST-HALF of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 22954B, for Company's Rupees 25, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

Lost.

THE first-half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 40212A, for Rupees 10,

Lost.

FIRST-HALVES Bank of Bengal Notes, No. 18820C. for 50 Rupees and Nos. 07639A. 28517A. each 10 Rupees; and Second-half No. 15158A. for 10 Rupees, the payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

**Notices issued by the
Post-Master General of Bengal.**

No. 9866.

THE Public are specially cautioned of the risk attending upon the transmission of books or other parcels by the Banghy Post during the Monsoon, or rainy months, unless they are packed so as to be waterproof. The caution specially applies to roads where the Banghy Mail is carried by foot-runners, and which are often during the rains intersected by deep water-courses, but not on the Grand Trunk Road, where wheeled Carriages are used, *viz.*, the road from Calcutta to Benares and upwards.

C. K. DOVE,
Post-Master General of Bengal.
CALCUTTA,
The 7th April 1860. }

No. 815.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under orders of the Director-General of the Post Office in India, any person leaving his Horses, Palankeens, or Servants, in the compound of a Dak Bungalow, must pay a rent of eight annas a day in advance for each Horse, or Servant, or Palankeen. If not paid in advance, the Cattle, Servants, or Palankeens, must be turned out.

C. K. DOVE,
Post-Master General of Bengal.
CALCUTTA,
The 16th April 1860. }

**Notices issued by the
Post-Master of Calcutta.**

No. 5182

The 12th April 1860.—The Public are hereby informed that from and after the 1st of May 1860, the postage of Newspapers, Pamphlets, or other Printed Papers, not exceeding 6 Tolas, whether the same be imported or not imported, will be one anna, and one anna will be added to the above postage for every additional 6 Tolas or parts of 6 Tolas.

2. The compulsory pre-payment of postage on Newspapers, Pamphlets, or other Printed Papers, will take effect from the 1st of January 1861

No. 4593.

The 21st April 1860.—MAIL PACKETS for the Overland Mail, which leaves Bombay on the 12th proximo, will be closed at this Office at 5 P. M. on Thursday, the 3rd idem, *via* Marseilles only.

Letters and Papers, for transmission *via* Bombay, will be received up to 6 P. M. on every day prior to the 3rd; and Inland Postage to Bombay must be prepaid in Stamps on Letters sent by this opportunity to Countries in Foreign Europe.

Rates of Postage.

Under ½ Ounce	Rs.	0	■	0
" ½ "	"	0	8	0
" 1 "	"	0	14	0
" 1 "	"	1	0	0



SUPPLEMENT TO
The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1860.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Backergunge, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April 1860, or 15th Bysack 1267 B. S., for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 25th March 1860:—

Class II. — Temporarily-settled Estate.

Former No. — Present No. 3934 — Bajestree Mohal, Chuck Shumanosse adjoining Pergunnah Sullimabad; recorded proprietors, Doorgapershaud Ghose, Coshunth Ghose and Oomachurn Dutt; sadder jumma from 1265 to 1267 B. S., each year Rupees 1,147-12-8, and from 1268 annually Rupees 2,632-15 0.

R. C. RAJES,
Officiating Collector.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGEE; }
Collector's Office,
The 2nd April 1860. }

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Behar, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 26th day of April 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 25th day of March 1860:—

Class II. — Estate to be sold for Arrears due on other Estates.

No. 2416 — Mohal Sumrah, Chuck Sumrah, Pergunnah Bhellawur, recorded proprietors, Musst. Muckdommun, Nupmooddeen, Nuseebun, Musst. Amceetun and Wuhoolun, occupants, sadder jumma 540-15-6 including Mahkannah, from which the Rights and Interests of Musst. Muckdommun heiress of Musst. Mudehun deceased, surety of Bichant Hossein, farmer of Moazah Samadlue Boozorg, Pergunnah Tilhara, Zillah Patna, will be sold.

D. CUNEIF,
Collector.

BEHAR COLLECTORSHIP; }
Oga,
The 2nd April 1860. }

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estates, in Zillah Monghyr, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 27th day of April 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 25th day of March 1860:—

Class II. — Estates to be sold for arrears due on other Estates.

One Anna, the Rights and Interests of Chundoo Sime in the entire 16 annas of Mohal Tuppeh Chowthum.

No. 528. — Pergunnah Furkeyah; sadder jumma, rupees 2,011-1-7.

E. G. BIRCH,
Officiating Collector.

MONGHYR; }
Collector's Office,
The 5th April, 1860. }

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Midnapore, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 28th day of April 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 28th day of March 1860 :—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

No. 2311.—Mehal Rampoor *alias* Rampoor and Shonpoor, 7 annas' share in Pergunnah Beercool; recorded proprietors, Mr. John Compton Abbott, Doorgu Churn Bundopadhia, Ram Churn Bundopadhia, Annund Mace Debea, Guardian on the part of Oomesh Chunder Bundopadhia, Minor, Aymun Nissa Bibee and Aymun Nissa Bibee; sudder jumma, rupees 5,206-9-8.

F. R. COCKERELL,
Officiating Collector.

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, }
The 5th April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Patna, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 28th day of April 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 28th day of March 1860 :—

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estate.

No. 921.—Dearah Mahazee Mekra, Pergunnah Ghyaspore; sudder jumma, rupees 904-2-6,

A. HOPE,
Collector.

PATNA COLLECTORATE, }
The 3rd April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the under-mentioned Estates, in Zillah Bhagulpoore, will be put to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on Wednesday, the 25th April 1860, or 20th Bysakh 1267 F. S., for Arrears of Revenue :—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 116.—Ghatwally Ma. Chandwary, Mouzah Kutsukrah, Mouzah Bijburrah and lands of Turkorah, in Mouzah Rajpoor, Pergunnah Wasilah; recorded proprietors, Teykast Lokenarain Singh, Teykast Megh Raj Singh, Takoor Megh Loll Singh, Kalleechurn and Mussamat Dilnoor; sudder jumma, rupees 1,859-14-6, together with arrears of rupees 4,831-12-9, payable by instalments up to 1871-72, as per Kistbundee.

No. 128.—Ghatwally Ma. Kerwar, Pergunnah Wasilah; recorded proprietors, Kalleepershand and Gooman Singh; sudder jumma, rupees 1,960-4-3, together with arrears of rupees 8,327-11-8 payable by instalment up to 1869-70, as per Kistbundee.

J. M. LOWIE,
Officiating Collector.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE; }
Bhagulpoore,
The 4th April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estates, in Zillah 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on Saturday, the 28th day of April 1860, corresponding with 17th Bysakh 1267 B. S., for Arrears of Revenue or other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 28th March 1860 :—

Class IV.—Estates to be sold for Arrears due on other Estates.

No. 281.—Kismut Pergunnah Meddunmullo, Kismut Kundurpopore, &c.; recorded proprietor, Boudaminee Dossee; sudder jumma, rupees 597-14-11

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

No. 658.—Kismut Pergunnah Ballea, Turuff Sreekrishnopore; recorded proprietors, Ramdhone Bose and others; sudder jumma, including Police, rupees 1,141-12-1.

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estate.

No. 1367.—Resumed Mehal Beel Dautbhanga; recorded proprietors, Huirynarain Ghose and others; sudder jumma, rupees 1,100-2.

G. BRIGHT,
Officiating Collector.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE; }
24-Pergunnahs,
The 10th April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Shahabad, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 5th day of May 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 28th day of March 1860 :—

Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estate.

No. 296.—Erazac Rampoor Ghoghur, Pergunnah Barregaon ; sudder jumma, rupees 1,268-11-3.

A. A. SWINSON,
Collector.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, }
The 7th April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estate, in Zillah Sylhet, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on the 7th day of May 1860, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 18th day of January 1860 :—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

No. 40981.—Talook Chytn Chaud, Pergunnah Chytn Nager ; recorded proprietor, Ray Radagobind Sing ; sudder jumma, Co.'s rupees 992-10-3.

GEORGE G. BALFOUR,
Officiating Collector.

ZILLAH SYLHET, }
The 7th April 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given, that under Section VI. Act XI. of 1859, that the under-mentioned Estates, in Zillah Tirhoot, will be put up to public and unreserved Sale, at the Collector's Office of that District, on Thursday, the 10th May 1860, or 5th Jyest 1267 Fasal, for Arrears of Revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as Arrears of Revenue due on the 28th March 1860 :—

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

No. 146.—Mouzah Chandpoora, Tuppah Bhutsallah, Pergunnah Bisarah ; recorded proprietor, Gujjo Rae ; sudder jumma, rupees 660-6-5.

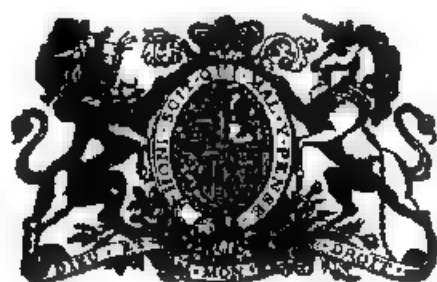
No. 1240.—Mouzah Gobindpore Gokollah, Pergunnah Hajeeapore ; recorded proprietors, Byjenath Sing and others ; sudder jumma, rupees 536-6-11.

No. 1654.—Mouzah Bukhtearpore, Pergunnah Kusma ; recorded proprietors, Bhoopnarain Sing and others ; sudder jumma, rupees 572-8-3.

No. 3115.—Mouzah Nazirpore, Pergunnah Sureisa ; recorded proprietor, Hajee Khajah Koomur-ooddin Khan ; sudder jumma, rupees 1,648.

H. L. DAMPIER,
Officiating Collector.

TIRHOOT ; }
Collector's Office,
The 18th April 1860.



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No.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Report on the Examination of the Junior Unpassed Civil Servants

PERSIAN.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Gardner ..	N. W. P.	12th Feb. 1859.	....	Passed in Hindes 1st Aug. 1859.
2	Tyrrell ..	N. W. P.	12th May 1859.	Studying at Allahabad. Passed in Hindes on the 1st September 1859.

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FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31st MARCH 1860.

in Persian, Arabic, Hindes, and Bengales held in January 1860.

ARABIC.

Nos.	NAME.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Morris	N. W. P.	1st Jan. 1859.	Passed for High Proficiency in Hindes on the 1st October 1859, having passed in Persian 1st March 1859, and in Hindes 2nd May 1859. Qualified for the Public Service. Studying for Honors.

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HINDI.

Nos.	NAMES	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Saunders	N. W. P.	26th Sept. 1858.	1st Oct. 1858.	Studying at Goojrat. Passed in Persian on the 14th October 1859.

FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31st MARCH 1860.*in Persian, Arabic, Hindoo, and Bengalee held in January 1860.*

BENGALÉE.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Hewitt ..	B.	12th Feb. 1859.	.. ..	Passed on the 3rd instant. Qualified for the Public Service having passed in Oordoo 1st August 1859.
2	Powlett ..	B.	12th Feb. 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st September 1859.
3	Smith ...	B.	12th Feb. 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st September 1859.
4	Armstrong ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st September 1859.
5	Jones ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st October 1859.
6	Carnac ..	B.	12th Nov. 1858.	17th Nov. 1858.	Passed in Oordoo 1st September 1859.
7	Bignold ..	B.	12th May 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st December 1859.
8	Macgregor ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859.	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo 1st September 1859.
9	Ward ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859.	Studying at Rajshahye. Passed in Oordoo on 8th and 9th December 1859.

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PERSIAN.

Nos	NAMES	Division of Presidency	Date of Arrival	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Gardner ..	N. W. P.	12th Feb. 1859.	.. ..	Passed on the 1st instant. Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Hindes on 1st August 1859.
2	Tyrrell ..	N. W. P.	12th May 1859.	Studying at Allahabad. Passed in Hindes on 1st September 1859.

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FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31st MARCH 1860.

in Persian, Arabic, Hindee, and Bengalee held in February 1860.

ARABIC.					
Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Morris ..	N. W. P.	1st Jan. 1859.	Passed for High Proficiency in Hindee on 1st October 1859 having passed in Persian on 1st March 1859, and in Hindee 2nd May 1859. Qualified for the Public Service. Studying for Honors.

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Report on the Examination of the Junior Unpassed Civil Servants

HINDEE.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Saunders	N. W. P.	26th Sept 1858	1st Oct. 1858.	Studying at Rawul Pindes. Passed in Persian on the 14th October 1859.

FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31ST MARCH 1860.*in Persia, Arabia, Hindoo, and Bengalee held in February 1860.*

BENGALIEE.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Powlett ..	B.	12th Feb. 1859	..	Passed on the 1st instant. Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Oorloo on 1st September 1859
2	Smith ...	B.	12th Feb. 1859	..	Passed in Oorloo on 1st September 1859.
3	Armstrong ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859	..	Passed in Oorloo on 1st September 1859.
4	Jones ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859	..	Passed in Oorloo on 1st October 1859
5	Carnac ...	B.	12th Nov. 1858	17th Nov. 1859.	Passed in Oorloo on 1st September 1859
6	Bignold ..	B.	12th May 1859	..	Absent on Medical Certificate. Passed in Oorloo on 1st December 1859
7	Macgregor ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859	..	Passed in Oorloo on 1st September 1859
8	Ward ..	B.	14th Mar. 1859	..	Studying at Rajshahye. Passed in Oorloo on 5th and 9th December 1859.

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PERSIAN.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Tytrell ..	N. W. P.	12th May 1859.	Studying at Cawnpore. Passed in Hindes on 1st September 1859.

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FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31st MARCH 1900.

in Persian, Arabic, Hindee, and Bengalee held in March 1900.

ARABIC.

Nos.	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Morris	N. W. P.	1st Jan. 1859.	...	Passed for High Proficiency in Hindee on 1st October 1859. Passed in Persian on 1st March 1859, and in Hindee 2nd May 1859. Qualified for the Public Service. Passed for Certificate of High Proficiency in Arabic on the 1st instant. Studying for Honors.

No.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

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HINDER.

Nos	NAMES.	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Initiatory Examination. 4	REMARKS.
1	Saunders ...	N. W. P.	20th Sept. 1858	1st Oct. 1858.	Passed on the 10th February 1860 at Rawul Pindoe. Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Persian on the 14th October 1859.

FORT WILLIAM, }
The 19th April 1860.

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FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31st MARCH 1860

in Persian, Arabic, Hindes, and Bengales held in March 1860.

BENGAL.

Nos.	NAME	Division of Presidency.	Date of Arrival	Date of Initiatory Examination.	REMARKS.
1	Smith	B.	12th Feb. 1859.	.. ..	Passed on the 1st instant. Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Oordoo on 1st September 1859.
2	Carnac	B.	12th Nov. 1858.	17th Nov. 1858.	Passed in Oordoo on 1st September 1859.
3	Bignold	B.	12th May 1859	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo on 1st December 1859.
4	Armstrong	B.	14th Mar. 1859	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo on 1st September 1859.
5	Jones	B.	14th Mar. 1859	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo on 1st October 1859.
6	Macgregor	B.	14th Mar. 1859	.. ..	Passed in Oordoo on 1st September 1859.
7	Ward	B.	14th Mar. 1859		Studying at Rajshahye. Passed in Oordoo on 8th and 9th December 1859.

By Order of the Board of Examiners,

WM. N. LEES,

Secy. to the Board of Examiners.

By Order of the Hon'ble the President in Council,

W. GREY,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.



The Calcutta Gazette.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1860.

Legislative Council of India.

THE 14TH APRIL 1860.

The following Bill was read a second time in the Legislative Council of India on the 14th April 1860, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon (under a suspension of the Standing Order) within three weeks.—

A Bill for imposing Duties on Profits arising from Property, Professions, Trades, and Offices.

PART I.

Imposes Duties of 3 and 1 per Cent.

I. FROM and after the day of there shall be charged, raised, levied, collected and paid for the service of the Government of India, during the term herein limited, for and in respect of the property and profits mentioned in the several Schedules contained in this Act, and marked 1, 2, 3, and 4 respectively, the yearly Duty of 3 Rupees for every 100 Rupees of the annual value thereof, that is to say,

SCHEDULE I.

For and in respect of the property in, and profits arising from all lands and houses in India.

SCHEDULE 2.

For and in respect of the annual profits arising to any person residing in India from any kind of

property whatever, whether situate in India, or elsewhere; and for and in respect of the annual profits arising to any person residing in India from any profession, trade, employment or calling, whether the same shall be carried on in India or elsewhere.

And for and in respect of the annual profits arising to any person whatever, whether a subject of Her Majesty or not, although not resident in India, from any property, whatever in India, or any profession, trade, employment or calling exercised within India.

And for and in respect of all interest of money, annuities, and other annual profits arising to any person residing in India, or accruing and payable in India to any person, whether residing in India or not, not charged by virtue of any other Schedule of this Act.

SCHEDULE 3.

For and in respect of all profits arising from interest, annuities or dividends, payable to any person residing in India, out of any public revenue whatever, or payable to any person, whether residing in India or elsewhere, out of any public revenue of or in India.

SCHEDULE 4.

For and in respect of every public office or employment of profit, and every office or employment of profit in or under any Company in India,

and upon every annuity, pension, or stipend payable by the Government of India, or out of the public revenue of India, except annuities charged to the Duties under Schedule 3.

II. From and after the day aforesaid, there shall also be charged, raised, levied, collected and paid, for the purposes hereinafter mentioned and described as local purposes, for and in respect of the property and profits mentioned in the said several four Schedules respectively, the further yearly Duty of 1 Rupee for every 100 Rupees of the annual value thereof.

III. Upon every fractional part of 100 Rupees of the annual value or amount of the property and profits aforesaid, the like proportion of Duties at the respective rates aforesaid shall be charged, but no Duty shall be charged of a lesser denomination than one anna.

IV. The said Duties shall be charged and levied by yearly assessments. Every assessment made under this Act within the year appointed for making the same shall be deemed to be for the current year, and shall be in force for such year. And every assessment made after the expiration of any year in which the same ought to have been made shall be deemed to be for the whole of the year current when the assessment ought to have been made.

V. Such year shall commence, for the first assessment, on the 1st day of May 1860; and for every subsequent assessment during the continuance of this Act on the 1st day of May in the year of such assessment.

PART II.

Appointment of Officers for managing and assessing the Duties.

VI. The Duties by this Act imposed shall, subject to the provisions of this Act, be under the direction and management of the several Chief Revenue Authorities for the time being in each Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship and Province. The said authorities are hereby empowered to do all such acts and things subject as aforesaid, as may be deemed necessary or expedient, for the collecting, receiving, and accounting for the said Duties throughout the respective Presidencies, Lieutenant-Governorships and Provinces respectively, for which they are appointed, in the like manner as they are authorized to do with relation to any other Duties or Revenues under their control.

Commissioners for General Purposes.

VII. In each of the Presidency Towns of Calcutta, Madras, and Bombay, and in the several Stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales Island, Singapore and Malacca, the several local Governments shall, from time to time, appoint such and so many persons, as they shall deem expedient, to be Commissioners for the general purposes of this Act for and within the said Towns and Stations respectively, of whom not less than two shall be persons not in the service of, or holding any office under the Government. The persons so appointed in the Presidency Towns shall not be less than six in number: and in the Stations of the said Settlement shall not be less than four in number.

Provided that, if any person not in the service of the Government, being so appointed as aforesaid, shall decline or neglect to take upon himself the execution of the said office, it shall be lawful for the local Government to appoint a person in the service of the Government, or a person not in such service, as it may deem expedient, to be a Commissioner in lieu of the person so declining or neglecting.

VIII. In each and every District in India, not being within any of the said Presidency Towns, or the Settlement aforesaid, the several local Governments shall appoint each and so many persons, not less than four in number, as they shall deem expedient, to be Commissioners for the general purposes of this Act, within the said several Districts respectively, of whom one at least shall be a person not in the service of, or holding any office under, the Government.

Provided that, if it shall appear to the local Government that no such person as last aforesaid, competent to exercise the duties of such Commissioners, can be found within the District, or if any such person being appointed as aforesaid shall decline or neglect to take upon himself the execution of the said office, and in the judgment of the local Government it be deemed expedient, it shall be lawful for the said local Government, instead of appointing a person not in the service of the Government, to appoint a person in the service of the Government to be one of the said Commissioners.

IX. 1. When any Commissioner for general purposes, appointed under this Act, shall die or neglect to act, (except as in the 7th and 8th Sections provided for,) or having begun to act, shall decline or neglect to act any further, or shall leave India without the intention of returning within three months, or shall not be present at any of the meetings whenever it shall be held by the Commissioners, within six successive months, after notice of all such meetings shall have been left at the residence of the

Government shall appoint a person to be a Commissioner for general purposes in the place of the Commissioner so dying or declining, or neglecting to act, or leaving India.

2. It shall also be lawful for the said local Government, from time to time, to remove any Commissioner, and to appoint another person to be a Commissioner in his place.

Provided that no Commissioner not in the service or employment of the Government shall be so removed, without the consent of the Governor-General of India in Council.

3. If the Commissioner so dying, or declining or neglecting to act, or leaving India, or so removed, shall not have been in the service of the Government, such new appointment to supply such vacancy shall be subject to the several provisions and conditions contained in Sections VII and VIII respectively, concerning the original appointment.

Provided that, if at the time of filling up such vacancy, the number prescribed in those Sections respectively of persons not in the service of the Government shall be and continue to act as such Commissioner or Commissioners, it shall be lawful for the local Government to appoint a person in the service of, or holding an office under, the Government to supply such vacancy.

X. The Commissioners for general purposes shall execute this Act in all matters relating to the Duties in Schedule 1, in Schedule 2, and Schedule 4 of this Act, except when such matters are hereby directed to be done by the Collectors, and except also as regards Schedule 2, where such matters are herein directed to be done by the Commissioners for special purposes, and except as regards Schedule 4, where such matters are directed to be done by the Commissioners hereby authorized to be appointed for certain of the Duties in that Schedule.

Commissioners for General Purposes shall have the general execution of the Act, except where special provision is made otherwise.

Districts of Commissioners and Officers appointed under the Act.

XI. 1. It shall be lawful for the several local Governments, from time to time, to declare and to alter, extend or diminish the limits of the District or local jurisdiction of any Commissioners or Officers appointed for or acting in the execution of this Act; and to direct that the said Commissioners and Officers appointed and hereby authorized to act for and in the said Presidency Towns and Stations shall exercise the powers hereby conferred on them in and throughout each District, or such portions of any District, as the said Towns and Stations res-

Power of Government to declare limits of Districts.

pectively, as such local Government may direct. And in regard to Districts not within any of the said Towns or Stations, that the Commissioners and Officers appointed for and authorized to act in any District shall exercise the powers hereby conferred on them in and throughout any portion of any other District besides that for which they have been so appointed and authorized to act respectively.

2. As soon as any such order shall have been made, altering the limits of the District or local jurisdiction of any Commissioner or Officer as aforesaid, such Commissioner or Officer shall, by the order aforesaid, have and exercise in and throughout the District or jurisdiction so defined, altered, extended or diminished, all the powers hereby conferred on such Commissioner and Officer respectively.

XII. The word "District," as used in this Act, shall, as regards the said Presidency Towns and Stations, include and apply to the said Towns and Stations respectively, and (when any such order as aforesaid shall have been made) the said Towns and Stations, together with any District or portion of a District which may be declared to be within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Commissioners for such Towns or Stations: And shall, as regards any place not being within any of the said Presidency Towns or Stations, include and apply to any District of Revenue; and where any such order as aforesaid shall have been made, any District of Revenue, as defined, altered, extended or limited by such order.

Word "District," as used in this Act, to consist of District so defined.

XIII. The several local Governments shall appoint a Clerk to the Commissioners for general purposes in each District in which they shall be so appointed as aforesaid, which Clerk shall execute his office according to the Regulations of this Act, and shall act as such Clerk as well in all matters to be done by, under, and before the said Commissioners, as also in all matters to be done by, under, and before the Collector of the District in regard to the making and allowing the assessments mentioned in this Act, and carrying into effect the provisions thereof. Such Clerk may be removed by the local Government and another may be appointed in his place.

Clerk to Commissioners.

Commissioners for Special Purposes.

XIV. Within and for each of the said Districts and of the Divisions of Revenue hereinafter mentioned, the Officers and persons hereinafter mentioned, together with such other persons as shall be appointed in that behalf by the local Government, shall be Commissioners for the special purposes of this Act, that is to say,

In Calcutta, the Members of the Board of Revenue for the Presidency of Fort William for the time being.

Commissioners for Special Purposes in Presidency Towns and places specially mentioned.

In Madras, the Members of the Board of Revenue for the Presidency of Fort Saint George for the time being.

In Bombay, the Commissioners or Commissioner of Revenue for Bombay for the time being.

In Allahabad and the Division of Revenue of Allahabad, the Members of the Board of Revenue for the North-Western Provinces for the time being.

In Lahore and the Division of Revenue of Lahore, the Chief Revenue Authority for the Punjab for the time being.

In each of the Stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca, the Chief Revenue Authority for such Station for the time being.

And it shall be lawful for the local Government to appoint such other person or persons as may be deemed expedient to be a Commissioner or Commissioners for such special purposes in and for the several Districts and Divisions aforesaid, and from time to time to remove such person or persons, and appoint another or others in his or their place.

XV. It shall be lawful for the local Government to appoint such person or persons as they may deem expedient to be a Commissioner or Commissioners for the special purposes of this Act, in and for any District, or in and for any Division of Revenue not hereinbefore expressly mentioned, and from time to time to remove such person or persons, and appoint another or others in his or their place. Nevertheless, it shall not be necessary for the Government to make any such appointment in any District or Division not hereinbefore expressly mentioned.

XVI. Wherever by this Act authority is given to the Commissioners for special purposes to do any act, or to make, sign, or allow any assessment; or hear any appeal, or levy or receive any Duty, all the powers and authorities which may be exercised in that behalf under this Act by the Commissioners for general purposes, or by their order or warrant, shall and may be exercised by the Commissioners for special purposes, or by their warrant or order.

XVII. Not less than two of the said Commissioners, for general purposes, or of the said Commissioners for special purposes shall be competent to form any meeting under this Act: and such two Commissioners, or the major part of the Commissioners present at any meeting, shall be competent to do any act authorized by this Act. Provided that, where authority is given by this Act to appoint one Commissioner only for any District or Division, and one Commissioner only

has been appointed or is acting for such District or Division, any act, which is hereby directed, or authorized to be done by or before the Commissioners of a District or Division, may be done by or before such one Commissioner.

Special Commissioners for Government Securities and Public Departments.

XVIII. The Accountant General and the Sub-Treasurer of the Presidency of *Fort William in Bengal*; the Accountant General and Sub-Treasurer of the Presidency of *Fort St. George*; the Accountant General and Sub-Treasurer of the Presidency of *Bombay*; and the Revenue Authorities in charge of the Public Treasury and authorized to make disbursements therefrom, in and for any District or place in or at which the interest on any securities of the Government of India, or any annuities payable out of the public revenue of India shall be payable, shall be respectively Commissioners for executing this Act for the purpose of assessing and discharging the duties hereby imposed in respect of interest on securities of the Government of India and of all annuities payable out of the revenues of India to any person whatever, at the places at which the said Officers respectively hold office; and in respect of all other yearly sums (other than the salaries, pensions or stipends mentioned in the five next succeeding Sections of this Act), payable by the said Government, or out of the public revenue at the Government Treasuries at the said places respectively, and also in respect of all other profits chargeable with any Duty under this Act, and arising within any office or department under the management or control of, or the accounts of which are rendered to, or pass through the office of the said several Officers respectively.

XIX. The several Officers charged or entrusted with the duty of auditing, and the several Officers charged or entrusted with the duty of paying and disbursing the salaries and allowances to any person in the civil employment of the Government, or for the payment of which the audit of any Civil Auditor is required, and payable out of the public revenue, shall be respectively Commissioners for executing this Act for the purpose of assessing all salaries and allowances payable to any person in the civil employment of the Government, or serving in any Civil Department, or for the payment of which the audit of any Civil Auditor is required, and payable from the public revenue by or upon the audit of such Officers respectively.

XX. The several Officers charged with the duty of auditing, and the several Pay-masters and Officers charged with the duty of paying and disbursing any pay, salaries, or allowances payable to any Officer or person in Her Majesty's Army, or in Her Majesty's Indian Military Service, or in the Military employment of the Government

or serving in any Military Department, or for the payment of which the audit of any Military Auditor is required and payable out of any public revenue, shall be respectively Commissioners for executing this Act for the purpose of assessing all pay, salaries and allowances payable to any person in the Military employment of the Government, or serving in any Military Department, or for the payment of which the audit of the Military Auditor General is required, and payable from the public revenue at, by, or upon the audit of such Officers respectively.

XXI. The several Officers charged or entrusted with the duty of auditing, and the several Pay-masters and Officers charged or entrusted with the duty of paying any pay, salaries and allowances to any Officer or person in Her Majesty's Indian Naval Forces, or in the Marine Service of, or in any Marine Department and employment under, the Government respectively, shall be Commissioners for executing this Act, in respect of all pay, salaries, and allowances payable to any person in the Marine Service of the Government, or serving in any Marine Department and employment.

XXII. The several Pay-masters and Officers charged or entrusted with the audit and payment of pensions or stipends payable by the Government or out of the public revenue in any place in India, and if the local Government shall think fit to appoint any other persons to act in that behalf, the persons so appointed shall be Commissioners for executing this Act in respect of any of the pensions or stipends payable or audited by such Pay-masters and Officers respectively.

XXIII. Whenever, and so often as it shall appear to the local Government necessary or expedient to appoint any Commissioner or Commissioners for the purpose of executing any matters in relation to any of the duties mentioned in Schedule 3 or Schedule 4 of this Act in respect of which no provision has been herein made for the appointment of Commissioners, or for the purpose of executing any matter in relation to the duties mentioned in either of the said Schedules at any place not herein mentioned, it shall be lawful for the said local Government, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, to appoint such person, or such and so many persons as it may deem expedient to be a Commissioner or Commissioners for the special purpose of executing this Act, in respect of such matter or matters, and at such place or places.

XXIV. The several Commissioners authorized to be appointed in the six last preceding Sections of this Act shall, when appointed, have authority to exercise and apply all the powers of this Act as fully and effectually as the Commissioners for general purposes are authorized to exercise and

apply the same, so far as the same relate to the said Duties, to be assessed by the said Commissioners appointed under the last-mentioned Section respectively: and shall make their assessment of the said Duties under, and subject to, the Rules contained in this Act in respect of such Duties respectively, according to the several Schedules under which such Duties are chargeable.

Provided that any one of the said Commissioners for the purposes mentioned in the said six last preceding Sections of this Act shall be competent to exercise the powers vested by this Act in the said Commissioners.

Collector.

XXV. The Collector of Revenue or other Civil Officer of the Government performing the duties of Collector of Revenue, for, and in any District, shall be the Collector of Duties under this Act, and shall execute this Act in all matters which are hereby directed to be done by the Collector.

XXVI. 1. It shall be lawful for the local Government, whenever it shall deem fit, to appoint two or more Collectors for the purpose of this Act in any District, and to direct that the said District shall be divided for the purposes of this Act into two or more Divisions, and that any one of such Collectors shall act in the execution of this Act for and in such one or more of the said Divisions as it shall appoint.

2. In such case all and every the powers herein directed to be exercised, and all and every the matters herein authorized to be done within or with reference to any District, shall be exercised and done respectively within or with reference to any Division of a District.

Assessors.

XXVII. 1. The several local Governments shall appoint Assessors and (if such Governments shall think fit) Assistant Assessors for the duties mentioned in this Act, in and for each of the said Districts.

2. The said Assistant Assessors, if appointed, shall have all the powers by this Act given to Assessors, except the powers of making or of signing assessments.

3. Such Assessors or Assistant Assessors may be removed by the local Government, and others may be appointed in their place.

4. In case of any Division of a District under Section XXIV, it shall be lawful for the local Government, if it shall think fit, to appoint Assessors or Assistant Assessors in and for each Division of such District.

XXVIII. Whenever a new appointment of Commissioners, whether for general purposes or for special purposes, or for any of the purposes mentioned in this Act, or of any Collector or Assessor, shall take place, the Commissioners, as constituted after such new appointment, and the newly-appointed Collector or Assessor respectively, shall execute this Act, as well with respect to the Duties which shall not have been, but which ought to have been assessed in any former years under this Act, as to the assessment to be made in the year in which they shall have been appointed, and shall have the like powers to assess, levy, and collect such Duties and arrears as they have to assess, levy, and collect the Duties assessed by them.

XXIX. The Officers for receipt and collection of the local revenue, together with such other Officers as may be appointed by the local Government in that behalf, shall be the Officers for receipt and collection of the Duties imposed by this Act.

XXX. 1. Every person appointed as Commissioner under this Act, and every Collector, Assessor, or Assistant Assessor, and Clerk to Commissioners under this Act, shall, before he shall act in the execution of this Act, take the oath applicable to such Officers respectively prescribed in the Schedule hereto marked No. 5.

2. Every Officer for receipt or collection under this Act shall, before he shall act in the execution of this Act, so far as relates to the Duties contained in Schedule 2, take the oath applicable to the said Officers prescribed in the said Schedule No. 5.

3. Any one of the persons appointed as Commissioners is hereby authorized to administer such oath, and the same shall be subscribed by the person taking it.

PART III.

General mode of Assessment.

XXXI. 1. For the raising and levying the said Duties, the Commissioners for general purposes in each District shall hold a meeting under this Act, at which meeting the Assessors of the District and the Assistant Assessors, if any, shall attend.

2. The said Commissioners shall, at such meeting, administer to the said Assessor and Assistant Assessor, if any, the oath required hereby to be taken by them respectively, and shall issue their Precept to the said Assessor, directing him to give the notices hereinafter mentioned, within such time and in such manner as the said Precept shall direct, together with such instructions in writing as may be necessary for carrying this Act into execution.

XXXII. The Assessor shall, within the time directed by the Precept of the Commissioners, give notice, or cause notice to be given, to every person chargeable to the said Duties in respect of any property or profits situate or arising within the District for which the said Assessor shall act, or shall leave, or cause to be left, such notice at his dwelling-house, or usual place of business, requiring every such person to prepare and deliver all such lists, declarations, and

statements as they are required to do by this Act within such time as shall be limited in the said Precept.

XXXIII. 1. The said Assessor shall also, within the time and in the manner directed by the Precept of the said Commissioners, cause general notice to be given by proclamation, in the manner usual in the District, requiring all persons who are by this Act to make out and deliver any lists, statements or declarations, to make out and deliver to the said Assessor, or to the Clerk to the said Commissioner, or to such Officer, or at such Office as shall be mentioned in that behalf in the said notice, all such lists, statements and declarations, within the time therein limited.

2. Such general notice shall, when so verified, be deemed sufficient notice to all persons residing in the District, wherever they shall have been given as aforesaid, and the proclamation of the same in the manner aforesaid shall be deemed good service of such notice.

3. Provided that the Commissioner for general purposes shall, in all cases, determine what is the usual and proper manner of giving notice by proclamation in the District or place wherein such notices are to be given and the notice shall be given in the manner directed by the said Commissioners.

Lists and Statements.

XXXIV. Every list, statement, or declaration required to be delivered by any notice under this Act shall be delivered to the Assessor of the District, or to the Officer, or at the Office mentioned in the said notice, as shall be directed in such notice, and within the time therein limited.

XXXV. 1. Every person chargeable under this Act shall, when required so to do, whether by any general or particular notice given in pursuance of this Act within the period mentioned in such notice, prepare and deliver to the person, or at the Office mentioned therein, a true and correct statement in writing, in such form as shall be directed under the authority of this Act, and signed by the person delivering the same, containing the amount and particulars of the profits and income arising to such person from all and every the sources chargeable under this Act, according to the respective Schedules thereof, which amount shall be estimated for the period mentioned and according to the respective Rules contained in this Act.

2. To such statement shall be added a declaration that the same is truly estimated on all the sources contained in the said several Schedules, describing the same, after setting against, or deducting from such profits such sums as are allowed by this Act, and no other sum, and every such statement shall be made exclusive of the profits or income, accrued or accruing from interest of money or other annual payment arising out of the property of any other person, for which such other person ought to be charged by virtue of this Act.

XXXVI. 1. Every person who shall be in the receipt of any money or value, or the profits arising from any of the sources mentioned in this Act, of or belonging to any other person, in whatever character the same shall

be received, for which such other person is chargeable under this Act, or would be so chargeable if he were resident in India, shall, within the period mentioned in such notice as aforesaid, prepare and deliver, in the manner herein directed, a list in writing in such form as this Act requires, signed by him, containing a true and correct statement of all such money, value, or profits, and the name and place of abode of every person to whom the same shall belong, together with a declaration whether such person is of full age, or a married woman, subject to the provisions of the English Law regarding coverture, living with her husband, or a married woman, subject as aforesaid, whose husband is not accountable for the payment of the Duty hereby chargeable, or whether such person is or is not a resident in India, or an infant, or lunatic.

2. Every person acting in such character jointly with any other person shall, in the manner aforesaid, deliver a list of the names and places of abode of every person so joined with him at the time of delivering such list.

XXXVII. 1. Every person, when required so to do by any notice given in pursuance of this Act, shall, within the period to be mentioned in such notice, prepare and deliver to the Assessor of the District wherein such person shall reside a list in writing, containing, to the best of his belief, the proper name of every lodger or inmate resident in his dwelling-house, and of other persons, not being menial servants, employed in his service, whether resident in such dwelling-house or not, and the place of residence of such of them as are not resident in such dwelling-house, and also of any such lodger or inmate who shall have any ordinary place of residence elsewhere, at which he is entitled, under this Act, to be assessed, who shall be desirous of being so assessed at such place of ordinary residence.

2. Such lists shall be signed by the respective parties delivering the same, and shall be made out in such form as shall be directed under the authority of this Act.

3. Provided always that no person required by this Act to deliver a list of lodgers, inmates, or other persons aforesaid, shall be liable to the penalties hereinafter mentioned, or either of them, for any omission of the name or residence of any person in his service or employ, and not resident in his dwelling-house, if it shall appear to the Commissioners for executing this Act, on enquiry before them, that such person is entitled to be exempted from the payment of all and every the Duties hereby imposed.

Duties of Assessors.

XXXVIII. The Assessor shall make out an alphabetical list, and deliver the same to the Collector of the District, containing the names of all persons to or on whom such notices have been delivered or served in pursuance of this Act, and the names of all persons having property or profits chargeable under this Act within the District of such Assessor, distinguishing the persons who have duly made their returns, and the persons who have omitted to make such returns, and the persons who have given notice to be assessed by the Commissioners for Special Purposes, and also

the persons who shall have been returned as lodgers or inmates within such limits, or as chargeable within, but having a residence out of such limits.

2. If such Assessor shall have neglected to give notice to any person to whom the same ought to be delivered, the Collector of the District may, at any time afterwards, cause such notice to be delivered to, or served on such person, and may also, from time to time, cause the like notice to be delivered to, or served on any person coming to reside in any District after the expiration of such notices.

XXXIX. The Assessor for every District shall personally appear and make oath before the said Collector, that the several notices required to be delivered as aforesaid, by this Act, have been duly served in the manner required by this Act, to the best of his knowledge; and that general notices to the effect mentioned in this Act have been duly proclaimed in the manner hereby required in such proper places within the District, for which such Assessor shall act, as by this Act is required.

XL. 1. The Clerk to the Commissioners shall, with all convenient speed, abstract the returns of statements delivered to such Collector by the Assessor into books to be provided for that purpose, and according to such forms as shall be transmitted from the Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid.

2. Such abstracts shall contain the names of the persons making such returns, and the several amounts of profits returned by them respectively.

3. Such abstracts shall be delivered by the said Clerk to the Collector; who shall, when he shall have completed his assessments, deliver the same to the said Commissioners.

4. All such returns shall be numbered and filed in the Office of the said Commissioner and carefully kept so long as the accounts of the said Duties for such District, or any part thereof, shall remain unpaid.

5. The Assessor of the District shall have free access to all such books at all reasonable times, and shall take such copies thereof, or of such parts thereof, or extracts from the same, as he shall deem necessary, in order to the due execution of this Act.

XLI. 1. The Assessor shall make out his assessment on all lands and houses within the limits of his District, and shall set down therein the full and just annual value of all such lands in each particular case, according to the directions of this Act, together with the names of the owners, or of the persons assessed in respect thereof.

2. And shall also make out his assessment on all persons who have made returns, or ought to have made returns under any of the Schedules 1, 2 and 4, of this Act, in respect of the profits or income wherewith they are chargeable respectively under any of the Schedules to which the said returns relate (except in respect of such profits described in Schedule 2, as are to be assessed by the Commissioners for Special Purposes, as hereinafter authorized).

XLII. The said Assessor shall deliver the said assessments, together with all returns which shall have been made to him, (except returns under Schedule 2, when assessments are to be made by the Special Commissioners as hereinafter authorized) to the Collector of his District, such returns being first progressively numbered.

2. Whenever the said Assessor shall not be able to make his assessment according to the provisions of this Act, or shall be obstructed therein, it shall be lawful for him to make application to the said Collector, or to the said Commissioners of his District, who shall severally instruct such Assessor in making his assessments, and assist him in the execution of this Act, according to the powers and authorities vested in them respectively.

XLIII. At or after the time of bringing in his assessments as aforesaid to the Collector, the Assessor, in the presence of the Collector, shall make oath that such assessments are true, and are made according to the best of his skill and judgment, and shall submit to be examined on oath before the Collector, or before the Commissioners, in all matters and things concerning the said assessments which the Collector or the Commissioner shall require for his or their information.

Duties of Collectors.

XLIV. 1. Within a reasonable time after the Assessor shall have delivered the said assessments, the Collector of the District shall proceed to take the same, and also the said several returns and statements into consideration.

2. In case he shall be satisfied that the same have been made truly and correctly, and so as to charge the several properties and persons mentioned therein with the full Duties which ought to be charged on them respectively, and that the said returns and statements upon which the said assessments have been made, have been *bona fide* made according to the provisions of this Act, so as to enable the said Collector to charge the persons returning the same with the full Duties with which they ought to have been charged on account thereof, the said Collector shall allow and sign such assessments.

3. But in case the Collector shall not be satisfied with the correctness of any of the said assessments, or of any of the returns or statements upon which the same may have been made, it shall be lawful for the said Collector, according to the best of his judgment, to correct and rectify such assessments, either by increasing or reducing the same, so that the Duty may be fully and fairly charged according to the intent and meaning of this Act, and the said Collector shall allow and sign the said assessments when so rectified.

XLV. If any person shall have made default in the delivery of any statement or return, such person not having been otherwise charged to the Duties in respect of which such statement or return ought to have been made, or if the Collector shall

not be satisfied with the statement delivered by any person, either in consequence of the same being in itself insufficient, or in consequence of his not believing the truth of the statements therein, the Collector, assisted by the Assessor, shall make an assessment on such person in such sum as according to the best of the judgment of the Collector ought to be charged on such person by virtue of this Act.

XLVI. The Assessor shall and may, at all reasonable times, inspect and examine any assessment which shall be signed and altered by the Collector; and in case he shall, before the delivery thereof to the Commissioners for general purposes, discover any error in the same, which, in his judgment, shall require amendment, he shall certify the same to the Collector, by whom the assessment shall be signed and altered, and the Collector, upon sufficient cause being shown to him, shall amend the same as in his judgment the case shall require.

XLVII. In every case where the Assessor shall object to the amount of the Duty charged in any assessment, altered and signed by the Collector, and not corrected by him as in the last Section provided, (which the Assessor is hereby empowered to do in any case upon sufficient cause,) he shall state such objection in writing to the said Collector, who shall thereupon certify the same, together with the reasons for making such assessment, and any information he shall have obtained respecting the same, to the Commissioners for general purposes; and the said Assessor shall also give notice thereof to the party assessed, in sufficient time to enable such party to appear before the said Commissioners for general purposes in support of such assessment.

XLVIII. 1. The Collector shall cause certificates of the assessments made and allowed by him to be duly made out, from time to time, as the same shall be completed, which certificates shall contain the names of the parties charged, and the sums which they respectively ought to pay by virtue of this Act, and shall cause such certificates to be entered in books provided for that purpose, according to such forms as shall be transmitted to the Collector by the Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid.

2. The Collector shall also, from time to time, deliver the said assessments and also the statements returned by the parties relating to such assessments, to be delivered under cover sealed up to the Commissioners for general purposes.

XLIX. 1. As soon as the said assessment and returns shall have been delivered to the Commissioners for public purposes, the Collector shall cause notice of the said assessments having been made, and of the time for hearing appeals therefrom, to be given, which notice may be given by delivering a copy of such assessments to the Assessor of such District for the inspection of the parties charged thereby, together with a public notice of the day of appeal to be given by proclamation as aforesaid, in the manner directed by the said Commissioners, and also by affixing a copy thereof in the Office of the said Commissioners.

2. Such notice shall be given at least fourteen days before the day of hearing the appeal.

PART IV.

Appeals from Assessments.

L. 1. If any person shall think himself aggrieved by an assessment made by the said Collector, it shall be lawful for him, on giving ten days' notice thereon in writing to the Assessor, to appeal to the Commissioners for general purposes in the District where such assessment was made, who shall hear and determine such appeal.

Persons aggrieved may appeal to Commissioners for General Purposes within a time limited.

Persons prevented by sickness or other reasonable cause, after expiration of limited time.

2. The Commissioners for general purposes shall, from time to time, appoint days for hearing appeals and also objections made by the Assessor as aforesaid—as soon after any assessments shall be returned to them by the Collector, as conveniently can be done, notice of which days so appointed shall be given as aforesaid.

3. The meetings of the Commissioners for the purpose of hearing appeals and objections shall be held, from time to time, within the time limited by the said Commissioners, with or without adjournment, and no appeal shall be received after the time so limited, except on the ground of diminution of income, as hereinafter mentioned.

4. If any person shall be prevented by absence, sickness, or other reasonable cause to be allowed by the said Commissioners, from making or proceeding upon his appeal within the time so limited, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners to give further time for that purpose.

LII. 1. Upon receiving notice of appeal against any assessment made as last aforesaid, and also in every case where the Assessor shall have stated his objection in writing to an assessment, and shall have given such notice thereof as hereinafter mentioned, the said Commissioners may, if they shall think fit, direct their Precept to the person appealing, to return to them, within the time limited therein, a Schedule containing such particulars as the said Commissioners shall demand for their information respecting the property of such person, or the trade, or concern, or the profession, or employment, respectively carried on or exercised by him, and the amount of the balance of his profits, distinguishing the particular amounts derived from each separate source, or respecting the particulars of the deductions from any of such profits made in such Schedule.

2. If any Statement or Schedule, delivered under any such Precept, shall appear to the said Commissioners insufficient or deficient in any particular, the said Commissioners are hereby empowered and required to demand, from time to time, a fresh Statement or Schedule, containing such particulars as aforesaid, whenever the same shall appear to them necessary, and so on, from time to time, until a complete Schedule, to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners, of all the particulars required by them, shall be delivered.

3. Every such Precept, upon being delivered or left at the last or usual place of abode of the person to whom the same shall be directed, shall be binding upon him according to the exigency thereof.

4. Or in case such person shall have removed from the jurisdiction of the said Commissioners, or cannot be found, or his place of abode shall not be known, then, upon fixing such Precept on or near to the door of the Office where the Commissioners shall meet in the execution of this Act, and upon giving such further general notice, proclamation, or otherwise, as the said Commissioners shall direct, such Precept shall be binding on such person according to the exigency thereof.

5. The person so served shall make the return required by the said Commissioners within the time limited in such Precept, under the penalty in this Act contained, and subject to such clause as the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to make in such case.

6. The Assessor shall have free access, at all reasonable times, to the Schedule when returned as aforesaid, and shall take such copies thereof, or extracts therefrom, as he shall think necessary, for the due execution of this Act.

LII. 1. It shall be lawful for the Assessor, within a reasonable time to be allowed by the said Commissioners for general purposes, after he shall have had the examination of such Schedules, to object to the same or any part thereof, and to state such objections in writing, and the cause thereof, to the best of his knowledge or information.

2. The said Assessor shall, in every case of objecting to any such Schedule, deliver a notice in writing of such objection to the party to be charged or leave the same at his last or usual place of abode, under cover, sealed up and directed to such party.

3. Any such objection shall be heard by the Commissioners, at the same time as the appeal from, or objection to the assessment, in respect of which the Schedule objected to shall have been filed.

LIII. 1. Upon the hearing of any such appeal or objection, the person assessed shall personally attend before the said Commissioners, and if his personal attendance shall be dispensed with by the said Commissioners, as next hereinafter is provided.

Persons assessed to attend hearing of appeal personally, and if not so, to be dispensed with by Commissioners.

When attendance dispensed with, such person may be charged by Assessor according to the Rules herein prescribed.

2. If any person shall be prevented from attending personally before the said Commissioners, by absence or sickness, or if it shall appear reasonably to the said Commissioners that the personal attendance of any person should be dispensed with, and that such person should be heard upon such appeal through his or her agent, clerk, or servant, who shall be named at the time to the said Commissioners, the said Commissioners may order that the personal attendance of such person shall be dispensed with, and that such person be at liberty to attend at the hearing of such appeal by such agent, clerk, or servant.

3. When any such order shall have been made the person assessed shall be at liberty to attend at the hearing of such appeal by the agent, clerk, or servant so named as aforesaid; and such agent,

clerk, or servant, shall be entitled to be heard by the said Commissioners to the same extent and in the same manner as the person assessed would himself, if present, have been entitled to be heard.

4. Provided that any agent, clerk, or servant, who shall attend on behalf of any person so assessed as aforesaid, shall not be entitled to be heard by the said Commissioners, unless he shall submit to be examined by them upon oath, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, regarding the truth of the Schedule or Statement returned by the person so assessed, and regarding all matters relating to the said assessment upon which the said Commissioners shall think fit to examine him.

5. Provided, further, that no Counsel, Advocate, Pleader, or Attorney, and no person practising the law, shall be allowed to plead or appear on behalf of any other person before the said Commissioners upon any appeal or objection.

6. No person, who shall attend in person before the said Commissioners, or who shall not have obtained such order as aforesaid, dispensing with his or her personal attendance, shall be entitled to be heard before the said Commissioners by any agent, clerk, or servant.

7. When the person assessed shall not attend in person, and shall not have obtained such order as aforesaid, the said Commissioners may proceed to hear the said appeal or objection *ex parte* in the absence of such person.

LIV. 1. If, upon the hearing of any such appeal or objection as aforesaid, the said Commissioners shall be satisfied with the assessment made by the said Collector, they shall confirm such assessment.

2. If, upon such hearing they shall be satisfied with the correctness of the grounds of appeal or of objection, they shall allow such appeal or objection partially or wholly as the case may require, and shall alter the assessment appealed from or objected to accordingly, subject to the provision contained in Section LVIII of this Act.

3. If, after delivery of a Schedule the Commissioners shall be satisfied therewith, and shall have received no information of the insufficiency thereof, the said Commissioners shall direct such assessment to be confirmed or altered according to such Schedule, as the case may require.

4. The assessment so confirmed or altered by the said Commissioners shall be final and conclusive, subject only to such surcharge in case of fraud, as in the Section of this Act provided.

LV. 1. In every case where the said Commissioners shall think proper that the said statement, on which the Collector made his assessment, or the Schedule delivered to the said Commissioners for general purposes shall be verified, they shall require the person so charged with the said duties to appear before them to verify the said Statement or Schedule.

2. If such person shall be present at the hearing of the appeal, he shall at such hearing, when so required, verify the said Schedule on oath, as hereinafter mentioned, and sign the same with his proper name.

3. If such person shall not be present at the said hearing, the said Commissioners may, if they

shall think fit, adjourn the said meeting, and direct the said Assessor to give notice to such person to appear before them on the day to which the hearing shall be adjourned, and to verify the said Statement or Schedule.

4. Such person shall, upon receiving such notice, attend accordingly on the day therein mentioned before the said Commissioners, and shall verify on oath his said Statement or Schedule, and shall sign the same with his proper name.

5. Such oath shall be to the effect that the contents of such Statement or Schedule are true to the best of his judgment or belief, and that the same contains a just and correct account of the balance of all the profits and income of the person delivering the same chargeable to such person under this Act, from whatever source or sources thereof, after making such reductions as are therein stated, and that no deduction whatever other than such as is therein stated, and to such amount only as is therein stated, have been made from the profits or income accounted for.

6. Provided always that such person shall be at liberty to amend his said Statement or Schedule before he shall be required to take such oath.

LVI. 1. Whenever the Commissioners for general purposes shall be dissatisfied with any assessment made by the Collector, or with any Schedule delivered to them, or shall require further information respecting the same, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners to put to the person to be charged in respect thereof any question in writing or *vis à voce* touching such assessment, or the contents of such Schedule, or touching any of the matters which ought to be contained therein, or any sums which shall have been set against or deducted from the profits or gains to be estimated in such assessment or Schedule, and the particulars thereof, and to demand an answer to such question accordingly from the person to be charged: and to require the said person to produce his books and accounts for the year in respect of which he is to be charged:— and so from time to time, whenever the said Commissioners shall think the same necessary.

2. Where such person shall not himself be in attendance, the said Commissioners for general purposes shall issue their Precept, requiring true and particular answers to be given to such questions as aforesaid, within a time to be directed by the said Commissioners.

3. Every such person shall make true and particular answers, in writing, signed by him, to such questions within the time directed by the said Commissioners, or shall, within the like period, tender himself before the said Commissioners, to be examined by them *vis à voce* to such matters; and every person required to make such answers, or appearing before the said Commissioners, to be examined as a party, or in case of absence, sickness, or other reasonable causes, to be allowed by the said Commissioners as aforesaid, as the clerk, agent, or servant of such party, as herein is mentioned, shall be permitted to give his answers, either in writing as aforesaid, or *vis à voce*, without having taken any oath, and shall be at liberty to object to any question, and presumptively to refuse to answer the same, or to produce his books or accounts.

4. The substance of such answers as any such person shall give *visd voce*, shall, in his presence, be reduced into writing and read to him, and he shall be at liberty to alter any part thereof, and also to alter or amend any particular contained in his answers in writing, or in any Schedule or Declaration, before he shall be called upon to verify the same in the manner herein directed.

5. Any such Schedule shall be altered or amended, as shall seem requisite, after such inquiry or examination.

LVII. It shall be lawful for the Commissioners for general purposes, in any of the cases mentioned in the preceding Sections, whenever they shall think the same necessary, to require any person who shall

have made any answer in writing as aforesaid, or who shall have been examined *visd voce* before them, to verify his examination on oath which any one of the said Commissioners is hereby empowered to administer, and such oath shall be to the effect that the contents of all such answers in writing as shall have been returned to the said Commissioners by him are true; and in the case of an examination *visd voce*, shall be to the effect that the contents of his examination, as the same have been reduced into writing, are true; and every such oath shall be subscribed by the party taking the same.

LVIII. 1. It shall be lawful for the Commissioners for general purposes to summon, in like manner, any person whom they shall think able to give evidence or testimony respecting the assessment made, or to be made, on any other person, to appear before them to be examined, and to examine every such person who shall so appear before them on oath, which oath any one of the said Commissioners is hereby empowered to administer.

2. Such oath shall be to the effect that the testimony or evidence to be given by such person shall contain the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, in respect of the matter in question concerning which such evidence or testimony is to be given, and every such oath shall be subscribed by the person taking the same.

LIX. 1. Whenever any person chargeable under the Act shall have neglected or refused to return a Statement or Schedule according to the exigency of the Precept of the said Commissioners, or whenever any person charged as aforesaid, or any clerk, agent, or servant of such person being summoned, shall have neglected or refused to appear before the Commissioners to be examined, or whenever such person, or his clerk, agent, or servant as aforesaid, shall have declined to answer any question put to him by the said Commissioners in writing or *visd voce*, or to produce his books, or whenever the Schedule delivered shall have been objected to as aforesaid, and the person assessed shall not have appeared to oppose such objection, or whenever any person, being required so to do, shall have neglected or refused to verify his Statement or Schedule, or his answers or examination in writing, the said Commissioners shall, in every such case, according to the best of their judgment, subject to the provisions contained in the next succeeding Section of this Act, settle and ascertain

in what sums such person ought to be charged, and shall make an assessment accordingly.

2. Such assessment shall be final and conclusive, subject only to such surcharge as is in the 61st Section provided.

LX. In every case where the Commissioners for general purposes shall have increased the assessment upon any person, either upon the amount contained in the Statement or Schedule of such person, or upon his default to return a Statement or Schedule, or duly to verify the same, or upon his refusal, or the refusal of his agent, clerk, or servant as aforesaid, to answer any question, or to produce any book, it shall be lawful for them to charge and assess such person, (in addition to the sum originally assessed), in a sum not exceeding (double) the amount by which the Duties shall have been increased, unless such person shall make it appear to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners, that the omission or wrong statement, or the said default or refusal complained of, did not proceed from any fraud, or contrivances, or intent to evade payment of any sum justly chargeable, or any wilful neglect.

LXI. 1. The several Collectors and Assessors in each District are hereby empowered respectively, at all reasonable times, to inspect and examine all and every the assessments of the said Duties made by the Commissioners under this Act, together with the returns of the persons assessed in such District.

2. If any such Collector or Assessor shall discover at any time after the said Commissioners shall have signed and allowed their assessments, and before any Statement or Schedule correcting the said omission or misstatement shall have been filed under the next succeeding Section of this Act, that any person who ought to be charged with the said Duties, or any of them, shall have been omitted to be charged therewith, or shall have been, through any fraud or contrivances or misrepresentation, under-rated in the said assessment, then, and in every such case, the said Collector or Assessor shall certify the same, in writing under his hand, to the said Commissioners, by way of surcharge, together with the full amount of Duty which ought to be paid by way of surcharge, and shall cause notice of such surcharge, and of the time appointed for hearing the same by the said Commissioners, to be given in manner aforesaid to the party chargeable.

3. The said Commissioners shall appoint a time for hearing such surcharge, and shall, at such time, or at any time to which the hearing shall be adjourned by them, hear and determine the matter of the same. If they shall allow the said surcharge, and shall consider that the omission to charge, or the under-rating the party so chargeable, was caused by any fraud, contrivance, or misrepresentation on his part, they shall charge and assess him, in addition to the original assessment, in a sum not exceeding treble the amount by which the said Duties shall have been increased upon such surcharge.

LXII. 1 If any person who shall have delivered a Statement or Schedule,

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if he shall think fit, and if any Commissioners for special purposes shall have been appointed for the Division or District in which he shall have been so charged, instead of appealing to the said Commissioners for general purposes, to appeal to the Commissioners for special purposes, for the said Division or District upon giving notice of such appeal in writing to the Assessors within the time limited for notices of appeal to the Commissioners for general purposes in similar cases.

2. Thereon every such appeal shall be heard and determined by the Commissioners for special purposes of that Division or District, and the determination of the said Commissioners for special purposes shall be final and conclusive in the matter appealed only to such charge as in the said Section is provided.

Provided, always, that no person, who shall claim the exemption or abatement hereinafter granted in part only to persons whose annual income is less than Rupees 200 or Rupees 500 respectively shall be allowed to appeal to the said Commissioners for special purposes, but that every such claim shall be determined by the Commissioners for general purposes.

LXIV. The Commissioners for general purposes shall, in their respective Divisions, cause to be entered in the several accounts of Revenue of the Division, and they shall from time to time make out and transmit to the Commissioners of Revenue of the Division, and in the said Districts of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, and the Settlements aforesaid, to the respective Chief Revenue Authorities aforesaid, accounts of the amount of Duty assessed by them, distinguishing the amount charged on each person, which accounts shall severally be made out, with the particulars required by the Act, and they shall also, from time to time, make out and transmit to the said Commissioners or Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid, lists containing the name, description, and place of residence of every person assessed by them respectively, as soon as the same conveniently can be done.

PART V

Provisions as to Infants and Special Classes of Persons chargeable

LXV. The trustee, guardian, curator, or commissioner of any person, being an infant, or married woman, or lunatic, shall be liable to the law of England in relation to such person as if he were a person of full age, and having the education, control, or management of the property or concern of such infant, married woman, or lunatic, whether such infant, married woman, or lunatic, shall reside in India, or not, shall be chargeable to the said Duties in like manner and to the same amount as would be charged, if such infant were of full age, or such married woman were sole, or such lunatic were capable of acting for himself.

LXVI. Any person not resident in India, Agents, Factors, whether a subject of Her Majesty or not, being in India, shall be liable to the receipt through any agent, factor, or receiver, of any profits or income chargeable under this Act, shall be chargeable in the name of such agent, factor, or receiver having the receipt in India of such profits or income belonging to such person, in the like

manner and to the like amount as would be charged if such persons were resident in India, and in the actual receipt thereof.

LXVII. 1. Every such trustee, guardian, curator, or committee in the 65th Section mentioned, and every such agent, factor, or receiver in the 65th Section mentioned, shall be answerable for the doing of all such acts and things as shall be required

to be done by virtue of this Act, in order to the assessing of any such person to the Duties granted by this Act, and paying the same

2. Provided that no trustee, who shall have authorised the receipt of the profits or income arising from trust property by the person entitled thereunto, or by the agent of such last-mentioned person, and which person shall actually receive the same under such authority, nor any agent, or factor, or receiver, of any person, being of full age, and resident in India, and being under no disability, as a married woman subject to the law of England, or a lunatic, who shall return a list in the manner herein required, of the name and residence of such person, and of the assessment so authorised to be received, shall be required to do any other act for the purpose of assessing such person, unless the Commissioners, acting in the execution of this Act in respect of the assessment to be made on such person, shall require the testimony of such trustee, agent, or receiver, in pursuance of the authority by this Act given.

LXVIII. 1. Every person who shall act in any character as aforesaid for any other person, who, by reason of any such incapacity as aforesaid, or by reason of his not being resident in India, cannot be personally charged by virtue of this Act, shall

also, within the like period, deliver in the manner herein directed, and in the same District in which the person delivering such list ought to be charged on his own account, a true and correct statement, in writing, signed by him, of the amount of the income and profits to be charged on him on account of such other person, estimated during the period, and according to the rules contained in the said respective Schedules, together with such declaration of the manner of estimating the same as aforesaid.

2. Provided, always, that where two or more such persons shall be liable to be charged for the same person, one return only shall be required, and such return shall be made by them jointly, or by one or more of them, on behalf of himself or themselves, and the rest of the persons so liable; and it shall be lawful for them to give notice, in writing, to the Commissioners acting in each District where they shall be called upon for such statement, in what District or place, or Districts or places they are respectively chargeable by this Act on their own account, and in which of the said Districts or places they are desirous of being so charged on the behalf of such other person for whom they so act in any of the characters before mentioned, and they shall be assessed accordingly by one assessment in such District or place, provided any one of such persons shall be liable to be charged on his own account in such District or place.

3. If more than one assessment shall be made on such persons, or any of them, on the same account, relief shall be granted for such double assessment by like applications to the Commissioners, as are allowed in other cases by this Act.

LXIX. The receiver or manager appointed by any Court in India, whether constituted by Royal Charter or not, or having the direction and control of any property in respect whereof a Duty is charged by this Act, whether the title to such property shall be uncertain or not, or subject to any contingency or not, shall be chargeable to the said Duties in like manner and to the like extent as the persons entitled thereto would be chargeable, if in actual possession of the said property, and if the title thereto were certain and not subject to any contingency whatever.

LXX. The Courts of Wards in the Presidencies of Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay and in any other parts of British India wherein such Courts shall be established, shall, in respect of all property, profits, and incomes chargeable with any Duty under this Act, in the direction and control of such Courts, whether the proprietors on whose behalf the said Court shall have such direction or control, be or continue disqualified or not, so long as the said Court shall have such direction or control, shall be chargeable to the said Duties in the like manner and to the like extent as the proprietors of such property, if not disqualified, and in actual possession thereof would be chargeable.

LXXI. Every Administrator General of Bengal, Madras and Bombay respectively, shall be chargeable under this Act in respect of all property, profits, and income in possession or control, either under or by virtue of any letter of administration of *ad colligenda* or by virtue of any probate granted to him as executor of any will, or of any appointment as curator, or as official trustee.

LXXII. Every such receiver or manager, every such Court of Wards, and every such Administrator General respectively shall be answerable for doing all such matters and things, and for delivering all such lists, declarations, and statements as shall be required to be done as declared by virtue of this Act, in order to the assessing of the Duties imposed by this Act in respect of the several properties, profits, and income under their charge respectively, and in order to the payment of the same.

LXXIII. 1. All Bodies Politic or Corporate, or Collegiate, and all Companies, and Societies of persons, whether corporate or not corporate, and the property thereof, shall be chargeable with such and the like Duties, and be liable to such and the like remedies, as any person and his property will, under this Act, be chargeable with and liable unto.

2. When such Body, Company, or Society shall be registered under Act XIX of 1857, or under any other Act of the Governor-General of India in

Council, the registered Officers of such Body, Company, or Society, and where it shall not be so registered, the Secretary or Principal Agent or Manager in India shall be answerable for doing all such acts and things as shall be required to be done by virtue of this Act, in order to the assessing such Body Corporate, Company or Society to the Duties imposed by this Act, and paying the same.

3. The Treasurer of such Body Corporate, Company, or Society, whether the same be registered as aforesaid or not, shall be also answerable for the payment of the said Duties, when assessed as aforesaid.

LXXIV. 1. Every Officer in the second Clause of the last preceding Section described, of any Corporation, Company, or Society, shall also, within the period required by this Act, prepare and deliver in the form and manner prescribed in this Act, a true and correct statement of the profits and gains to be charged on such Corporation, Company, or Society, computed according to the directions of this Act, together with such declaration of the manner of estimating the same as aforesaid.

2. Such estimate shall be made on the amount of the annual profits and gains of such Corporation, Company, or Society, before any dividend shall have been made thereof to any other persons, corporations or companies having any share, right or title in, or to such profits or gains, and all such other persons and Corporations or Companies shall allow out of such dividends a proportionate deduction in respect of the Duty so charged.

LXXV. Where any person being trustee, guardian, tutor, curator, or committee, or being agent, factor, or receiver of or for any person, shall be assessed under this Act in respect of such person; or where any receiver appointed by any Court or any Court of Wards, or any Administrator General, shall be assessed under this Act in respect of the property, profits or incomes received by them in their character respectively; or where any Secretary, Agent, Manager or other Officer of any Corporation, Company, or Society shall be so assessed in respect of such Corporation, Company or Society as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for every such person, who shall be so assessed, by and out of the money which shall come to his hands as such trustee, agent, factor or receiver, guardian, tutor, committee, or curator as aforesaid; or as such receiver, Court of Wards, or Administrator General as aforesaid; or as such Secretary, Manager, Agent, or other Officer, to retain so much and such part thereof from time to time as shall be sufficient to pay such assessment; and each and every of the said persons enumerated in this Section, shall be fully indemnified against every person, Corporation, Company, or Society whatsoever, for all payments which he shall make in pursuance and by virtue of this Act.

LXXVI. 1. Any married woman subject to the law of England in regard to her coverture, acting as a sole trader in her own name, or having or being entitled to any property or profits to her sole or separate use, shall be chargeable to such and the like Duties, and in like manner, except as hereinafter is mentioned, as if she were actually sole and unmarried.

2. Provided, always, that the profits of any married woman subject to the law of England as

aforesaid, living with her husband, shall be deemed the profits of the husband, and the same shall be charged in the name of the husband, and not in her name or of her trustee.

3. Provided also that any married woman subject to the law of England as aforesaid, living in India separate from her husband, whether such husband shall be temporarily absent from her or from India, or otherwise, who shall receive any allowance or remittance from property out of India, shall be charged as a *feme sole* if entitled thereto in her own right, and as the agent of the husband if she receive the same from or through him, or from his property, or on his credit.

LXXVII. 1. The persons acting as Commissioners, Collectors, and Assessors in the execution of this Act shall be charged and assessed to all the Duties imposed by this Act if liable thereto, and shall deliver all such lists, declarations and statements, and shall do all such acts and things as shall be required to be delivered or done by this Act, and in order to the assessing of the said Duties in like manner as any other persons.

2. Provided always, that any Commissioner, whose Statement or Schedule shall be under consideration, or shall be concerned or interested therein either for himself or for any other person in any character before described, shall have no voice, and shall not be present, except upon an appeal for the purpose of being examined *viva voce* by the Commissioners then having his assessment or Schedule under consideration, but shall withdraw during the consideration and determination thereof.

PART VI

Rules under Schedule I.

LXXVIII. The Duties hereby imposed and contained in Schedule I shall be assessed and charged under the following Rules, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE I.

1. The annual profits of the proprietors, and holders of lands paying revenue direct to Government, not under any perpetual or permanent settlement, but under any settlement liable to revision or alteration, shall be estimated at (one-half) of the annual amount of revenue payable to the Government. The owners or holders of such lands shall be chargeable with the amount of such annual profits so estimated.

2. If any owner or holder of lands included in Rule No. 1 shall prove to the satisfaction of the Collector, or on appeal to the satisfaction of the Commissioners for general purposes, that the actual annual profits received by him from the said lands are less in value than [one-half] the annual amount of revenue payable in respect of the said lands, the Collector or the said Commissioners on appeal shall reduce accordingly the annual value of the lands with which such proprietor is chargeable.

3. In case any such owner or holder shall object, either before the Collector or the Commissioner, to be charged with the annual value at the rate of [one-half] the annual amount of revenue payable on the said lands, he shall be bound to make all the returns and statements, and be subject to the same rules as the owners or holders of lands mentioned in the following rules : and if it shall appear to the Collector or to the Commissioners on appeal that the annual profits arising from the said lands are more in value than [one-half] of the said annual amount of the said Government Revenue, the said Collector or the said Commissioners shall charge such owner or holder with such increased annual value of the profits, and he shall be charged double Duty in respect thereof.

4. All persons in the actual receipt, whether as owners or not, of the rents or profits of any lands or houses not included in the said first general rule whether paying revenue to the Government or not, shall return and deliver, as aforesaid, a statement of all the rents and profits, of whatsoever nature or kind, including dues, services, royalties, fines, tolls, and casual profits received by them during the preceding year, that is to say, the year immediately preceding the year of assessment and ending on the 30th day of April next preceding that year, and shall be chargeable with the annual amount of such rents and profits estimated as herein mentioned.

5. (1.) In estimating such rents and profits, the gross amount received during the preceding year shall be fully stated ; but if the person receiving the same be himself liable to pay, in respect of the said premises, any rent, jumma, or annual sum of any kind whatsoever, received or charged in respect thereof, he shall state in his return the amount of such rent, jumma, or charge, and shall be charged with the said Duties on the said gross rents and profits, and on paying the full amount of the said Duties shall and may deduct and retain out of the same so much of the said Duties on account of the same as a like rate on such rent or annual sum shall, by a just proportion, amount unto.

(2.) The persons entitled to such rent, jumma, or annual payment, their receivers or agents shall allow such deduction upon the receipt of the residue of the said rents or annual payments, without any fee or charge for such allowance, and the person who shall have been so charged, and shall have so paid the said Duty, and made the said deduction as aforesaid, shall be acquitted and discharged of so much money as if he had actually paid the same to the person to whom the said rent or annual sum shall be due and payable as aforesaid.

6. Ryots and persons in the occupation of lands for agricultural purposes holding at rack-rent, and whose rent shall be subject to a revision or enhancement from time to time, and ryots in the occupation of lands for such purposes only, and actually engaged in the cultivation of the soil, or the depasturing of animals thereon, whether their rent shall be a rack-rent, or subject to revision or enhancement or not, shall not be chargeable with the said Duties in respect only of their occupation of the said lands : but shall when, and if required by the Assessor, return and deliver in the manner required by this Act a statement of the amount of rent payable by them respectively, and of the landlords and persons to whom they pay the same respectively.

7. Persons occupying houses for the purpose of habitation only, holding the same at a rack-rent, shall not be chargeable with the said Duties in respect of their occupation only of the said houses, but shall, when, and if required by the Assessor, return and deliver such statement as in the last preceding rule mentioned.

8. All persons occupying lands or houses other than persons mentioned respectively in Rules Nos. 6 and 7, and not being the owners thereof, shall return and deliver in manner aforesaid the actual amount of profits realized by them from the said lands or houses during the preceding year, according to Rule No. 2.

9. Owners of lands and of houses occupying the same, shall be chargeable in respect of the annual value of the same at the rack-rent at which the same are worth to be let for the year.

10. In respect of all fines or bonuses received in consideration of any lease of, or agreement to let lands or houses, the said Duty shall be assessed upon the amount received within the year preceding by, or on account of the party, *Provided* that, if such party shall prove to the satisfaction of the Collector or of the Commissioners for general purposes, that such fines, or any part thereof, have been applied as productive capital on which a profit has arisen or will arise, otherwise chargeable under this Act for the year in which the assessment shall be made, it shall be lawful for the said Collectors, or for the Commissioners on appeal, to discharge the amount so applied from the profits liable to assessment under this Rule.

11. Where any mortgagee or creditor having a lien on lands or houses shall be in possession of the lands or houses mortgaged or secured, such mortgagee or creditor, whether in the actual occupation thereof, or in the receipt of the rents and profits thereof, shall be chargeable as the owner of the same according to the Rules herein contained respectively :—and upon any settlement of accounts between such mortgagee or creditor, and the mortgagor or debtor, the Duty payable in respect of the amount of the interest payable upon the mortgage or debt shall be taken and allowed as so much money received by such mortgagee or other creditor on account of such interest.

12. Where the person who is the owner of any lands or houses at the time the assessment is made, shall die before payment of the Duty, the heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, or other person who, on such death, shall become entitled to the rent and profits thereof, shall be liable to the payment of

13. A similar provision as to occupiers of houses at rack-rent.

14. All other persons occupying lands to return and be charged with actual profits.

15. Owners of lands and of houses occupying the same to be charged at rack-rent at which the same are worth to be let.

16. Rule as to fines and bonuses or lease.

17. Rule as to mortgagees in possession.

18. Rule as to owners dying before payment.

all arrears of the said Duty due at the time of such death, and to all subsequent instalments for that year without any new assessment.

13. Where any house shall be divided into distinct portions, and occupied by distinct owners or their respective tenants, such proportion shall be charged distinct to their respective occupiers.

14. (1.) No deduction from the estimate or assessment of any lands or houses shall be allowed in any case, unless the same shall be authorised by this Act, nor unless an account in writing, signed by the party claiming such deduction, stating the nature and amount thereof, shall have been delivered to the Assessors within the time and pursuant to the notice given by such Assessor.

(2.) If any such deduction shall be made or allowed contrary to this Act, or without such account in writing as aforesaid, the party making the same shall be surcharged with the amount of such deduction.

15. Where the amount of rent of any lands shall depend wholly or in part on the price of any kind of grain, or on the actual produce of the land, either in respect of the price or quantity of such produce, the computation for the purpose of charging the Duties in Schedule I shall be made, and the amount to be assessed shall be ascertained, according to the Rules and in the manner by which such rents have been usually ascertained in the said District, between the landlords and tenants, and the said Commissioners shall, in such cases, determine according to what Rules and in what manner it has been usual, in the said District, to ascertain the amount of such rents between landlords and tenants.

16. (1.) It shall be lawful for the Assessor of the District to cause such notice as herein mentioned to be given either to the tenant or occupier, or to the landlord of any lands or houses in the District, or to both the tenant or occupier, and to the landlord, as he shall, in his discretion, think fit.

(2.) Every tenant or occupier of lands shall, within ten days after the said Assessor shall have left at his usual place of abode a notice in writing, requiring the same, produce to such Assessor the lease, agreement, or instrument in writing, under which such tenant or occupier holds such lands or houses, together with any receipts or bills for rent which he may have received during the preceding year or during such further period as the Assessor may specify in the said notice.

(3.) Where there shall be no such lease, agreement, or instrument, or the same shall not be in the possession or power of such tenant or occupier, then he shall leave with such Assessor, within the time before-mentioned, a return of the actual rent annually reserved and payable, and of any other valuable consideration given or to be given, to the landlord of such lands or houses as a further consideration for such tenancy, under the penalty of treble the Duty hereby chargeable thereon, in case of any wilful neglect to comply with such notice.

(4.) Every landlord or owner of lands or houses occupied by his tenants shall also, within ten days after the said Assessor shall have left at his usual place of abode a notice in writing requiring the same, produce to such Collector the kuboolyuts or agreements, or counterparts of the instruments in writing under which such tenants hold such lands or houses, and where there shall be no such kuboolyut or agreement, or counterpart, or the same shall not be in the possession or power of such landlord, he shall leave with such Assessor, within the time before-mentioned, a like return in writing containing such particulars, and under such penalty as in this Rule before provided.

(5.) It shall be lawful for such Assessor to make his assessment on the production of such lease, or agreement, or instrument, or receipt, or of such rent-rolls, or of such kuboolyuts or counterpart, as the case may be, according to the rent therein respectively reserved, specified or made payable, if satisfied with the genuineness thereof respectively, and in case of non-production of any of such documents, then upon the rent reserved or made payable, according to the account thereof delivered as aforesaid, if he shall be satisfied that the said lands have been *bond fide* let at the reserved rent notified to him as aforesaid, without other valuable consideration.

(6.) But in case such Assessor shall not be satisfied of the genuineness of the said documents, or any of them, or with the note given to him, or in case no such note shall be given, then such Assessor shall make the said assessment according to the best of his judgment, as directed in the foregoing Rules.

(7.) Provided, always, that, if the house occupied by any such tenant shall be distant more than five miles from the dwelling-house of such Assessor, it shall be competent to such tenant to lodge his lease, agreement, or instrument, or note in writing of the rent, with the nearest Officer of the Government in the revenue establishment in the said District; and such Officer shall produce the same to the said Assessor when required.

17. (1.) The said Duties shall be assessed on all lands and houses, whether occupied at the time of assessment or not; in case any lands chargeable to the said Duties shall be unoccupied, and no distress can be found on the same at the time of such Duties.

(2.) Provided, always, that the said Duties, or either of them, shall not be charged or levied on any house which shall be or become unoccupied for such year, or portion of the year, as the same shall be unoccupied, but the assessment thereupon for such year, or portion of the year as aforesaid, shall, upon appeal, be discharged or diminished by the Commissioners, on due proof of the time during which such house remained unoccupied.

18. In cases where the person chargeable under this Act in respect of any lands or houses, or the tenant or occupier, shall, upon due notice under this Act, omit to produce or deliver any account or note in writing, which he is by this Act required to produce or deliver according to such Rule in the Act as is applicable to such property, or shall have delivered an account with which the Collector or the Commissioners upon appeal, or upon any objection taken under this Act, shall be dissatisfied, the Assessor, having first obtained an order in that

behalf, signed by the said Collector or by the said Commissioners respectively and taking to his assistance such person or persons of skill as shall be named in such order, shall, after two days' notice to the occupier, have full power, at all reasonable times in the day-time, to view and examine any lands, houses, or other property chargeable, in order to make a survey thereof, and otherwise to ascertain the annual value at which the same ought to be charged by virtue of this Act, and for so doing shall have liberty to enter upon any lands or houses, and to value the same, and to measure and survey the same, if they cannot otherwise ascertain the annual value thereof.

19. (1.) If, upon appeal, any dispute shall arise touching the annual value of any lands or houses, and the Commissioners shall deem it necessary, or the appellants shall desire, that a valuation thereof should be taken and made by any person of skill, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners to direct that a valuation be made by any person to be named by the said Commissioners, the costs and charges whereof shall abide the final determination of the said Commissioners, and to require the just valuation to be verified on the oath or solemn affirmation of the person making the same, but in case the appellant, after having desired such valuation, shall not within such time as the said Commissioners shall consider reasonable, cause such valuation to be made as aforesaid, the said Commissioners shall make an assessment according to the best of their judgment without such valuation.

(2.) Provided, always, that it shall be competent to the said Commissioners in every such case where the valuation so made shall exceed the value put upon the same lands or houses by the appellant, to direct the costs and charges attending the same to be paid by him; but if they shall be of opinion that such costs and charges have not been incurred through any default of the said appellant, they shall direct the same to be paid by the Collector of the District, who, on the certificate of the Commissioners, present at the time of the determination, shall pay the same, and the sum so paid shall be allowed to such Collector in his accounts.

20. (1.) Whenever by any flood, drought, or tempest, loss shall be sus-

Deduction where rents reduced in consequence of flood, drought, or tempest.

tained on the growing crops, or on the stock on lands let to tenants, or the said lands, or any part thereof, shall, by such flood, drought, or tempest, be rendered incapable of cultivation for any year, and it shall be proved on oath, to the satisfaction of the Collector, or, upon appeal, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners for general purposes, that the owner of the said lands, or the person in receipt of the rents thereof, hath, in consideration of such loss, abated or agreed to abate to his tenant the whole or any proportion of the rent reserved or payable by such tenant for any year of such demise, it shall be lawful for the said Collector, or for the said Commissioners, to abate in the assessment made in respect of the said lands for the same year for which such rent hath been abated, and to discharge therefrom the whole or the like proportion of Duty as the said owner shall appear, on such proof as aforesaid, to have abated of or from the rent reserved and made payable to him on such demise.

(2.) It shall also be lawful for the said Collectors, or for the said Commissioners, in every such case, to abate in the assessment made in respect of the occupation of the said land for the same year, and to discharge therefrom the like proportion of Duty as shall have been abated or discharged from the assessment made in respect of the property on the said lands for the cause aforesaid.

21. Whenever, from any of the causes aforesaid, the like loss shall be sustained on lands in the occupation of the owner, and the same shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector, or, in case of appeal, before the said Commissioners, it shall be lawful for him or them to abate in the several assessments made in respect of the said lands, and to discharge the whole or any part of the said respective Duties, and in proportion to the loss so sustained, and to the amount which he or they shall be of opinion would, or ought to have been abated as aforesaid, if the said lands had been demised to a tenant, and a proportionate abatement had been made to such tenant under the circumstances of the said loss.

22. Whenever any loss of rents shall be sustained by the owner or landlord of any lands occasioned by the insolvency or absconding of the tenant or occupier by whom such rent was payable, or by the fraudulent assignment or removal of his goods, or by reason of such lands being left unoccupied or waste, and the same shall be established to the satisfaction of the said Collector, or upon appeal to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners for general purposes, it shall be lawful for the said Collector or for the said Commissioners to abate in the assessment made in respect of the said lands, and to discharge the whole or any part of the said Duties in proportion to the loss so sustained.

PART VII.

Rules under Schedule II.

LXXIX. The Duties hereby imposed contained in the Schedule marked II shall be assessed and charged under the following Rules:—

SCHEDULE II.

The said Rules shall extend and apply to every description of property or profits which shall not be contained in either of the said Schedules I or III, and to every description of employment of profit not contained in Schedule IV, and not specially exempted from the said respective Duties, and shall be charged annually on, and paid by the person, receiving or entitled unto the same, and his representatives.

First Case.—Duties to be charged in respect of any Trade.

1. (1.) The Duties to be charged in respect thereof shall be computed at a sum not less than the full amount of the balance of the profits of such trade during the preceding year, that is to say, during one year, ending on the day of the year immediately preceding the year of assessment on which the accounts of the said trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern shall have been usually made up, or on the 30th day of April preceding the year of

Computation of Duties to be for the preceding year.

assessment, and shall be assessed, charged, and paid without other deduction than is hereinafter allowed.

(2.) Provided, always, that in cases where the trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern shall have been set up and commenced within the said period of one year, or within the year of assessment, the computation shall be made according to an average of the balance of the profits for such period as the Commissioners shall, under the circumstances, deem reasonable and direct.

2. (1.) The said Duties shall extend to every Person, Body, Politic or Corporate, Company, or Society in respect of any trade, manufacture, business, adventure, concern, or carried on by them respectively in India or elsewhere as aforesaid.

(2.) The said Duties under Schedule II shall extend to every such trade, business, occupation, adventure, or concern, whether the same be connected with the occupation and use of land or not, including among others the following persons: Railway Companies, Canal Companies, Irrigation Companies, Docking Companies, Coal Companies, Gas Companies, Mining Companies, Tea Companies, Indigo Planters, Coffee Planters, Sugar Planters, Tea Planters, Silk Manufacturers, Holders of Silk filatures, and all Companies and persons holding or using lands for the purpose of manufacturing the produce thereof, and selling such produce when manufactured, or for any purpose of the nature of trade or manufacture, whether such Companies or persons are subject to the Bankrupt Laws as traders or not.

(3.) The foregoing enumeration shall not be construed to exclude from the provisions as to Schedule II any person not expressly specified therein, who would, but for such enumeration, have been deemed to be included therein under the general words of this Rule.

3. In estimating the balance of profits chargeable under Schedule II, or for the purpose of assessing the Duty thereon, no sum shall be set against, or deducted from, or allowed to be set against or deducted from such profits or gains on account of any sum expended for repairs of premises occupied for the purpose of such trade, manufacture, or concern, nor for any sum expended for the supply, or repairs, or alterations of any implements, utensils, or articles employed for the purpose of such trade, manufacture, or concern, beyond the sum usually expended for such purposes according to an average of three years preceding the year in which such assessment shall be made: nor on account of loss not connected with, or arising out of such trade, manufacture, or concern, nor on account of any capital withdrawn therefrom, nor for any sum employed or intended to be employed as capital in such trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern, nor for any capital employed in improvement of premises occupied for the purposes of such trade, manufacture, or concern; nor on account of any interest which might have been made on such sums if laid out in interest; nor for any debts, except bad debts proved to be such to the satisfaction of the Commissioners respectively, or except doubtful debts as hereinafter mentioned; nor for

any average loss beyond the actual amount of loss after adjustment nor for any sum recoverable under an insurance or contract of indemnity.

4. In estimating the amount of profits as aforesaid, it shall be lawful to estimate the value of all doubtful debts due or owing to each person, and in the case of the insolvency or bankruptcy of the debtor, the amount of the dividend which may reasonably be expected to be received upon such debt, shall be deemed to be the value thereof, and the Duty chargeable shall be assessed and charged upon the estimated value of such doubtful debts accordingly.

5. In estimating the amount of the profits arising as aforesaid, no deduction shall be made on account of any annual interest, or any annuity or other annual payment payable out of such profits.

Second Case.—The Duty to be charged in respect of professions or employments not contained in any other Schedule of the Act.

6. The said Duties on employments shall be construed to extend to every employment by retainer in any character whatever, whether such retainer shall be annual or for a longer or shorter period; and to all profits and earnings, of whatever value, subject only to such exemptions as are hereinafter mentioned.

7. The Duty to be charged shall be computed at a sum not less than the full amount of the balance of the profits and emoluments of such profession or employment (after making such deductions, and no others, as by this Act are allowed,) within the preceding year, ending as in the first case, to be paid on the actual amount of such profits or gains, without any deduction, subject to the like provisions as are made in the first case in Rule No. 1, in respect of the period of computation in the case of settling up or commencing such profession, employment or vocation within one year preceding the year of assessment, or within the year of assessment.

8. The third, fourth, and fifth Rules in the first case shall also extend to the profits arising under the second case, as far as they are applicable.

Rules applying to both the preceding cases.

9. In estimating the balance of the profits to be charged according to either of the first or second cases, no sum shall be set against or deducted from, or allowed to be set against or deducted from such profits or gains for any disbursements or expenses whatever, not being money wholly and exclusively laid out or expended for the purposes of such trade, manufacture, or concern, or of such profession or employment, nor for any disbursements or expenses of maintenance of the parties, their families, or establishments, nor for the rent or value of any dwelling house or domestic offices or any part of such dwelling house or domestic offices, except such part thereof as may be used for the purposes of such trade, or concern, or pro-

fession, or employment not exceeding the proportion of the said rent or value hereinafter mentioned, nor for any sum expended in any other domestic or private purposes distinct from the purposes of such trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern, or of such profession or employment.

10. The computation of the Duties to be

Duties to be computed inclusive of profits arising from lands connected with trade. charged in respect of any trade, manufacture, or concern, or any profession, whether carried on by any person singly, or by any one or more persons jointly, or by any Corporation, Company, or Society, shall be made inclusive of the profits or gains arising from lands or houses occupied for the purposes of such trade, manufacture, or concern or of any profession.

11. (1.) The computation of Duties arising

Rules as to computing Duties in the case of several persons in partnership. in respect of any trade, adventure, or concern, or any profession carried on by two or more persons jointly, shall be made and stated jointly and

in one sum and separately and distinctly from any other Duties chargeable on the same persons or either or any of them.

(2.) The return of the partner who shall be first named in the deed, instrument, or other agreement of co-partnership, (or where there shall be no such deed, instrument, or agreement, then of the partner who shall be named singly, or with precedence to the other partner or partners, in the usual name, style, or firm of such co-partnership, or where such precedent partner shall not be an acting partner, then of the precedent acting partner,) and who shall be resident in India, shall be sufficient authority to charge such partners jointly.

(3.) Every such partner who shall be so first named as aforesaid, and such precedent partner or precedent acting partner as aforesaid resident in India, is hereby required, under the penalty herein contained for default in making any return required by this Act, to make such return on behalf of himself and the other partner or partners, whose names and residences shall also be declared in such return.

(4.) Provided, always, that where no such partner shall be resident in India, then the statement shall be prepared and delivered by their agent, manager, or factor resident in India, jointly for such partners, and such joint assessment shall be made in the partnership name, style, or firm, and no separate statement shall be allowed in any case of partnership, except for the purpose of the partners separately claiming an exemption as herein directed, or of accounting for separate concerns.

(5.) Provided that, if any partner being entitled to exemption, shall declare the proportion of his share in such partnership, trade, profession, or concern, in order to a separate assessment for the above purpose, it shall be lawful to charge such partners separately; but if no such claim be made, then such assessment shall be made jointly, according to the amount of the profits and gains of such partnership.

(6.) Provided, also, that any partner in such trade, profession, or concern which shall have been already returned by such precedent partner as aforesaid, may return his name and place of abode, and that he is such partner, without returning the amount of Duty payable in respect thereof,

unless the Collector or Commissioners respectively shall think proper to require a further return, in which case it shall be lawful for such Collector or Commissioners to require from every such partner the like return and the like information and evidence as they are hereby entitled to require from the precedent partner.

12. If amongst any persons engaged in any trade, adventure, or concern, or in any profession in partnership together, any change shall

take place in any such partnership, either by death or dissolution of partnership, as to all or any of the partners, or by admitting any other partner therein before the time of making the assessment, or within the period for which the assessment ought to be made under this Act, or if any person shall have succeeded to any trade, adventure, or concern or any profession within such respective periods as aforesaid, the Duty payable in respect of such partnership, or any of such partners, or any person succeeding to such profession, trade, adventure, or concern, shall be computed and ascertained according to the profits and gains of such business derived during the respective periods herein mentioned, notwithstanding such change therein or succession thereto as aforesaid, unless such partners of such persons succeeding to such business as aforesaid, shall prove, to the satisfaction of the Collector or Commissioners, that the profits and gains of such business have fallen short or will fall short for some specific cause, to be alleged to them, since such change or succession took place by reason thereof.

* 13. (1.) Every statement of profits to be charged under this Schedule shall include every source so chargeable on the person delivering the same on his own account, or on account of any other person.

(2.) Every person shall be chargeable in respect of the whole of such Duties in one and the same District, and by the same Collector and Commissioners (except in cases where the same person shall be engaged in different partnerships, or the same person shall be engaged in different concerns, relating to trade or manufacture in divers places, in each of which cases a separate assessment shall be made in respect of each concern at the place where such concern, if singly carried on, ought to be charged as herein directed.)

(3.) Every such statement on the behalf of any other person, for which such person shall be chargeable as acting in any of the characters before described, or on the behalf of any Corporation or Company shall include every source chargeable as last aforesaid and shall be delivered in that District where such person, Corporation, or Company would be chargeable, if acting on his or their own behalf.

Third Case.—The Duty to be charged in respect of profits of an uncertain yearly value not charged in Schedule I.

14. The Duty to be charged in respect of profits of uncertain yearly value, not charged in Schedule I., shall be computed at a sum not less than the full amount of the profits arising therefrom, within the preced-

Rule as to profits of uncertain yearly value.

ing year, ending as in the first case, to be paid on the actual amount of such profits or gains, without any deduction.

15. The profits on all securities bearing interest payable out of the public revenue, (except securities herein directed to be charged under the Rules of Schedule III); and on all discounts and on all interest of money, not being annual interest payable or paid by any person whatever, shall be charged according to the last preceding Rule in this case.

Fourth Case.—The Duty to be charged in respect of Interest or income arising from any Possession situated out of British India, whether in any other part of Her Majesty's Dominions or not.

16. The Duty to be charged in respect of such interest or income shall be computed on a sum not less than the full amount of the actual sums which have been received in India during the preceding year, without other deduction or abatement than is herein allowed.

Fifth Case.—The Duty to be charged in respect of any annual profits not falling under any of the foregoing Rules, and not charged by virtue of any of the other Schedules contained in this Act.

17. The nature of such profits and the grounds on which the amount thereof shall have been computed, and the average taken thereon (if any), shall be stated in the return made by the party in this behalf, and the computation shall be made either on the amount of the full values of the profits received annually or according to an average of such period, not exceeding one year, as the case may require, and as shall be directed by the said Commissioners, and such statement and computation shall be made to the best of the knowledge and belief of the person in receipt of the same, or entitled thereto.

18. (1.) Any person carrying on two or more distinct trades, the profits whereof are made chargeable under the Rules of Schedule II, and in each of which he is solely interested; or any two or more persons carrying on in partnership with each other, two or more distinct trades, in each of which the same persons alone are interested, may deduct and set off against the profits acquired in one or more of the said trades, the excess of the loss sustained in any other of the said trades over and above the profits thereof, in such manner as may be done under this Act where a loss shall be deducted from the profits of the same trade.

(2.) Such person or persons shall, in such cases, make separate statements of the profits and losses of the said several trades.

19. Any person carrying on any trade or any profession, either alone or in partnership, renting a house part whereof shall be used by him for the purposes of any trade or any profession hereby charged, may deduct and set off from the profits of such trade, or profession, such sum, not exceeding two-third parts of the rent *bond fide* paid for such house, with the appertinances, as the Collector, or upon appeal, the Commissioners shall think fit to allow and the said Collector and Commissioners shall have authority to allow such deductions as in other cases, and to assess such person accordingly.

20. (1.) Upon all annuities, yearly interest of money, or other annual payments, whether such payments shall be payable within or out of India either as a charge on any property of the person paying the same by virtue of any deed, or will, or otherwise or as a reservation thereout, or as a personal debt or obligation by virtue of any contract, or whether the same shall be received and payable half-yearly, or at any shorter or more distant periods, the Duties payable under the Act shall be charged upon the annual amount thereof, without deduction, according to, and under and subject to the provisions by which the Duty in the third case of Schedule II may be charged.

(2.) Provided, that in every case where the same shall be payable out of profits brought into charge by virtue of this Act, no assessment shall be made upon the person entitled to such annuity, interest, or other annual payment, but the whole of such profits shall be charged with the said Duties on the person liable to such annual payment.

(3.) The person so liable to make such annual payment whether out of the profits or gains charged with Duty or out of any annual payment liable to deduction, or from which a deduction hath been made, shall be authorized to deduct out of such annual payment at the rate of Rupees 3 and Rupee 1, for every Rupees 100 of the amount thereof.

(4.) The person to whom such payment, liable to deduction, is to be made, shall allow such deduction at the full rate of Duty hereby directed to be charged upon the receipt of the residue of such money, and under the penalty hereinafter contained.

(5.) The person charged to the said Duties, having made such deduction, shall be acquitted and discharged of so much money as such deduction shall amount unto, as if the amount thereof had actually been paid unto the person to whom such payment shall have been due and payable.

(6.) In every case where any annual payment as aforesaid shall, by reason of the same being charged on any property or security not being in India or otherwise, be received or receivable without any such deduction as aforesaid, and in every case where any such payment shall be made from profits not charged by this Act, or where any interest of money shall not be reserved or charged, or payable for the period of one year, then and in every such case there shall be charged upon such interest, annuity or other annual payment as aforesaid the Duties herein mentioned according to, and under, and subject to the several and respective pro-

visions by which the Duties in the third case of Schedule II may be charged.

21. (1.) Whenever it shall be proved, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners for general purposes acting in the District where any person making the application shall reside, that any interest of money, annuity, or other annual payment shall be annually paid out of the profits and gains *bona fide* accounted for and charged by virtue of this Act, at the rate and according to the Rules specified in Schedule II., without any deduction on account thereof, it shall be lawful for such Commissioners to grant a certificate thereof under the hands of any one of them, in such form as shall be provided under the authority of this Act, which certificate shall entitle the person so assessed, upon payment of such interest, annuity, or other annual payment to abate and deduct so much thereof as a like rate on such interest, annuity, or other annual payments would amount unto

(2.) Every person to whom such interest, annuity, or other annual payment shall be paid, shall allow such deductions and payments upon receipt of the residue of such interest, annuity, or other annual payment, and the person paying the same shall be acquitted and discharged of so much money as a like rate thereon would amount unto, as if the same had actually been paid unto the person to whom such interest, annuity, or other annual payment shall have been due and payable.

(3.) Provided that no such certificate shall be required where such payments are to be made out of the profits or gains arising from lands or houses as before mentioned, or of any office or employment of profits or out of any annuity, pension, stipend, or any dividend or share in such public annuities as are herein mentioned, but such deductions in all such cases may be made without having obtained such certificate.

(3.) Provided that no such certificate shall be required where such payments are to be made out of the profits or gains arising from lands or houses as before mentioned, or of any office or employment of profits or out of any annuity, pension, stipend, or any dividend or share in such public annuities as are herein mentioned, but such deductions in all such cases may be made without having obtained such certificate.

Rules as to Districts in which persons are chargeable.

22. (1.) Every person being a householder except persons engaged in any trade or profession, shall be charged to the said Duties contained in Schedule II by the Collector or Commissioners acting for the District, where his dwelling house shall be situate.

(2.) Every person engaged in any trade or profession shall be chargeable by the Collector or Commissioners acting for the District or place where such trade shall be carried on, or such profession be exercised, whether such trade shall be carried on, or such profession exercised, wholly or in part only in India, or whether such person shall be engaged in one only or more such trades or professions, except where the same person shall be engaged in different concerns, and a loss for one concern shall be set off or deducted from the profits of another concern.

(3.) Every person not being a householder, nor engaged in any trade or profession, who shall have any place of ordinary residence, shall be charged by the Collector or Commissioners acting for the District where he shall ordinarily reside.

(4.) Every person not hereinbefore described shall be charged by the Collector or Commissioners acting for the District where such person shall reside at the time of beginning to execute this

Act in each year, by giving such general notices as are herein mentioned, or shall first come to reside after the time for giving such general notices.

(5.) Every such charge made in such District or place shall be valid and effectual notwithstanding the subsequent removal of the person so charged from the District or place.

23. In order that the place where the said last-

Persons to deliver mentioned Duties are to be statement of District charged may be ascertained, where chargeable.

every person is hereby required, on the delivery of any list or statement as aforesaid, at the same time to deliver a declaration in writing, signed by him, declaring in what place he is chargeable, and whether he is engaged in any and what trade or profession, or not, and if he shall be so engaged, declaring also the place or places where the same shall be carried on or exercised.

24. Where any trade shall be carried on in India, by the manufacture of goods, wares, or merchandize, the assessment thereon shall be at the place of manufacture, although the sales of such goods, wares, or merchandize shall be elsewhere.

25. Every person not being engaged in any trade or profession, having two

Persons not engaged in trade, having more than one dwelling house, when chargeable

or more houses or places at which he shall be ordinarily resident, shall be charged at such of the Districts or places wherein the dwelling house shall be situate, in which he shall be ordinarily resident at the time when the Assessors shall first issue their notice under this Act in each year, in manner aforesaid, or in which he shall first come ordinarily to reside after giving such general notice as aforesaid.

26. Every person having two residences, or carrying on any trade, or exercising any profession in different

Persons having more than one residence, or carrying trade in different Districts, may be called on to make returns in both Districts.

Districts, or in any District different from the District of his ordinary residence shall, if required by the respective Assessors (acting under the direction of the Collector or Commissioners,) deliver in each of such Districts the like lists, declarations, and statements as he is hereby required to deliver in the District where such person ought to be charged, but shall not be liable to any double charge by reason thereof.

27. The Duties to be assessed by value of this Act in respect of the profits or income arising from possessions or securities out of British India, whether within any other of Her Majesty's dominions or not, may be stated to and assessed by the Collector and Commissioners respectively acting for the District where the persons receiving or entitled unto the same shall reside or carry on any trade or profession.

28. (1.) No person who shall, on or after

Temporary residents to be charged in respect of income and profits out of India after six months' residence, but not before.

the passing of this Act, be in British India for some temporary purpose only, and not with any view or intent of residing therein for a period exceeding six months in the whole from the commencement of such residence, and who shall not actually have resided in British India at one time or at several times for a period equal in the whole to six months in any one year, shall be charged with the said

Duties mentioned in Schedule II, as a person residing in India in respect of the profits or income received from or out of any possessions, property, or securities, not being in India, or from any trade, adventure, or profession not carried on in India.

(2.) But every such person, if he shall actually reside or remain in British India for such space of time as aforesaid, shall be chargeable to the said Duties in the District in which he shall reside or be, for the year commencing on the 1st day of May preceasing.

(3.) Any such person who shall depart from India, after claiming such exemption, and shall again return to India, on or before the 30th day of April next after such claim made, shall be chargeable to the said Duties in the District wherein he shall reside or be, as a person residing in India, for the whole of the year in which such claim shall have been made.

29. All lists, declarations, and statements, containing the amount of profits charged under Schedule II may be delivered to the respective persons, and in the manner herein directed, sealed up, if superscribed with the name and place of abode of, or place of exercising the profession or carrying on trade by, the person by whom the same shall have been made.

PART VIII.

Rules under Schedules I and II.—Assessments before Special Commissioners and Compositions.

Assessments before Special Commissioners.

LXXX. 1. Any person chargeable to the Duties contained in the said Schedules I and II, or in either of such Schedules, and who shall not claim the exemption or relief by reason of his whole income being less than 200 Rupees or 500 Rupees, hereinafter granted, may require, if he shall think fit, that all proceedings, in order to an assessment upon him, in respect of profits chargeable under the said Schedules, or either of them, shall be had and taken, by and before the Collector and the Commissioners for special purposes of the District, (if any such shall have been appointed,) instead of by and before the Assessor, the Collector, and the Commissioners for general purposes, provided he shall deliver a notice of such request, together with the list, declaration, and statement of such profits and gains to the Collector of the District in which the same shall be chargeable, within the time to be limited by the general notice herein before directed to be given for delivery of all such lists and statements as aforesaid.

2. Thereupon the said Collector shall examine the said list and statement, and shall compute and assess the Duties which, according to his judgment, shall be chargeable upon the party under the said Schedule I or II, and shall make a certificate of such assessment, and deliver the same, together with the said list, declaration, and statement to the Commissioners for special purposes, who shall examine the same, and make, or sign, and allow such an assessment of the said Duties as shall appear to them to be just and proper, subject to an appeal by the party to be charged or to an objection to the said assessment by the Collector, in like manner and under the like rules and regula-

tions as in cases of appeals and objections against assessments made by the Assessor and Collector.

3. Every such appeal and objection shall be heard and determined by the Commissioners for special purposes in such Districts.

4. All and every the provisions hereinbefore contained respecting assessments by and before the Assessor, the Collector, and Commissioner for general purposes, shall be applicable to the assessments under the 8th Part of this Act.

5. The decision and assessment of the Commissioners for special purposes upon such appeal shall be final and conclusive in the matter, subject only to such surcharge as is in the 61st Section provided.

6. Any application to surcharge under that Section in such cases shall be made to, and shall be heard, and determined by the Commissioners for special purposes.

Compositions.

7. Every person desirous of compounding for the said Duties under Schedules I and II or either of these Schedules as hereinafter mentioned, in the first, second, or third years of this Act, in order to an assessment of the said Duties being made under the provisions of the Act, shall, at any time after he shall have delivered the list and statement of his profits under the said Schedules, or either of them, as required by the said Act, and before he shall have been assessed under the said Schedules or either of these for such years, deliver to the Assessor of the District a notice signed by such person of his desire to compound for the Duties thereon in the manner allowed by this Act; and shall state therein whether he desires to compound for five, four, or three years.

8. When such assessment shall have been made by the Commissioners for general purposes, or by the Commissioners for special purposes, as the case may be, (any appeal allowed by this Act having been first determined,) it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners, by whom the said assessment shall have been made, to contract and agree with such person for a composition for the said Duties on the terms hereinafter mentioned, for a period of not exceeding five and not less than three years, limited for the continuance of this Act, provided such person shall enter into, and sign a contract of compositions within the space of one calendar month next after the making of such assessment shall have been notified to him, and his appeal against the same (if any) shall have been determined.

9. The terms of such composition shall be the payment in each and every year of the said term of the amount of the said assessment so made as aforesaid, together with an addition thereto at and after the rate of 1 Rupee for every 20 Rupees of the sum assessed as aforesaid, which addition shall be made by the said Commissioners to the said assessments so made for the first year of the said term.

10. In each subsequent year thereof, the assessment of the said Duties under Schedule II, upon the person who shall have entered into such contract of composition, shall be made by the Commissioners in a sum equal to the aggregate amount of the said first year's assessment, with the said additional rate thereon, and it shall not be neces-

any for such person to deliver any further list, declaration, or statement of profits described in the said Schedule II. during the said term of composition.

11. Provided, always, that, if the person upon whom such assessment as aforesaid shall have been made, shall neglect or refuse to enter into and sign such contract of composition within the time herein limited for that purpose, the assessment so made, without the said additional rate shall be collected, levied, and recovered in like manner as any other assessment under this Act.

12. The contract of composition may be made in the form set forth in the sixth Schedule annexed to this Act.

Form and requisition of contract of composition.

13. Every such contracts of composition shall be made in two parts, which shall be severally signed by one of the Commissioners, and by the person compounding.

14. One of such parts shall be delivered to the person compounding, and the other part shall be transmitted to the Commissioner of Revenue of the Division, or in the Towns and Stations aforesaid, to the Chief Revenue Authority thereof.

15. Every such contract shall be an authority for the Commissioners to make an assessment on the party compounding for each year of the said term of composition in accordance to the terms thereof, and to cause the sum thereby assessed to be collected, levied, and paid over in such manner and by such means as are herein authorised, in relation to any other assessment made under this Act.

16. If any person who shall have compounded as aforesaid shall die or become bankrupt, or insolvent, before the expiration of the said term of composition, his contract of composition shall cease and determine on the 30th of April next after his death, bankruptcy, or insolvency, save and except as to any instalment of Duty which, before the said day, shall have become payable and shall then remain unpaid.

Compensation to cease on 30th April next after Death or Bankruptcy of party compounding.

17. (1.) If any person who shall propose to compound for the Duties chargeable under Schedules I and II, or either of them, of this Act, shall wilfully make or deliver any false list, declaration, or statement of profits or gains described in the said Schedule, or shall wilfully conceal or omit to state any of such his profits or gains, or any part or portion thereof, or any other matter or thing required by this Act to be stated in such list, declaration, or statement; or if any person shall, by any fraudulent means, procure an assessment to be made upon him for a less amount of the said Duties than he shall be chargeable with, in order to compound thereon; or if any person shall, by any fraudulent means whatever, cause or procure a contract of composition to be made or entered into with him for a less amount of Duty than he ought to be charged with, the contract of composition, if any shall have been made with such person, shall be void and of no effect, and the party shall be charged and assessed as if no such contract had been made.

(2.) Provided that any sum of money which may have been paid under or in pursuance of such contract, shall be forfeited.

In case of fraud in compounding, composition to be void, and penalties incurred.

PART IX.

Rules under Schedule III.

LXXXI. The Duties hereby imposed contained in the Schedule marked III, shall be assessed and charged under the following rules, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE III.

1. The said last-mentioned Duties shall be paid by the Officers and persons entrusted with the payment of the interests, annuities, dividends, or shares of annuities charged in the said Schedule III on behalf of the persons entitled thereto, and shall be assessed by the Commissioners hereby authorised to be appointed for such purposes; and shall extend to all interests, annuities, dividends or shares of annuities whatever payable in India, out of any public revenues which shall become due on or after the 1st day of May 1860, except in the following cases of exemption from the said Duties.

2. (1.) The securities, stock, or dividends of every Savings Bank established by the Government within any part of British India, and the dividends or interests payable by any Savings Bank upon any funds therein deposited belonging to any depositor.

(2.) All claims to exemption under the last-mentioned Rule shall be made and disposed of, and re-payment of any sum retained and ordered to be refunded shall be made in the manner provided in Part XII of this Act, with respect to allowances under this Act.

3. The respective Officers and persons entrusted with the payment of the said interest, annuities, dividends, or shares of annuities shall on notice of the amount of each assessment, from time to time to be made as aforesaid, (which notice shall be given from time to time, as and when the interest, annuities, dividends, and shares aforesaid shall become payable, and before payment thereof,) set apart and retain the amount of Duty so assessed for the purposes of this Act.

4. (1.) Every such setting apart and retaining of the said Duties shall be deemed a payment thereof by, and on the behalf of, the persons entitled into the said interest, annuities, dividends, and shares respectively.

(2.) All persons are hereby required, on receipt of the residue of the said interest, annuities, profits, dividends, and shares over and above the Duty so assessed, to allow such payments in respect of the said assessments.

(3.) The Officers and persons so entrusted as aforesaid, and the Secretary of State in Council, and all persons responsible for the due payment of such interest, annuities, or dividends, and shares, shall be acquitted and discharged of and from so much money so set apart and retained as aforesaid, as if the same had actually been paid unto the persons to whom such interest, annuities, profits, dividends, and shares did or might belong, or were by law payable.

Officers entrusted with payment of interest to set apart and retain Duties of new assessment.

Such setting apart and retention to have the effect of a payment and discharge.

5. All monies so set apart by the Officers or persons as aforesaid, shall be paid from time to time, into such of the Treasuries of the Government as the local Government shall, from time to time, direct, into an account to be called "Income Tax Account."

PART X.

Rules under Schedule IV.

LXXXII. The Duties hereby imposed, contained in the Schedule marked IV, shall be assessed and charged under the following Rules:—

1. The said Duties shall be annually charged on the persons respectively, having, using, or exercising the Offices or employments of profit mentioned in the said Schedule IV, or to whom the annuities, pensions, or stipends mentioned in the same Schedule shall be payable for all salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits whatsoever accruing by reason of such Offices, employments, or pensions.

2. Each assessment in respect of such Offices or employments shall be in force for one whole year, ending on the 30th day of April, and shall be levied for such year without any new assessment, notwithstanding a change may have taken place in any such Office or employment, or the person for the time having or exercising the same.

3. Provided that the person quitting such Office or employment, or if dying within the year his representative, shall be liable for the arrears due before or at the time of his so quitting such Office or employment, or dying; and for such further portion of time as shall then have elapsed, to be settled by the respective Commissioners, and his successors shall be re-paid such sums as he shall have paid on account of such portion of the year as aforesaid, and each assessment in respect of such annuity, pension, or stipend shall be in force for one whole year, unless the same shall cease or expire within the year by lapse, death or otherwise, for which period the assessment thereon shall be discharged.

4. 1. The said Duties shall be assessed by the respective Commissioners for all the Offices in each Department in the place where the said Commissioners shall execute their Offices, although certain of the Offices in the same Department may be executed elsewhere; and shall be due and payable for the respective Officers and their successors for the time being.

5. 1. The said Duties shall be paid on all public Offices and employments of profit of the description hereinafter mentioned within British India, (that is to say)—(1) any Office or employment held under the Government, or the salary whereof, or emoluments attached whereof, are payable by the Government, or out of any public revenue in India.

(2.) Any Commissioned or Warrant Officer serving on the Staff, or belonging to Her Majesty's Army, or to Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

(3.) Any Commissioned or Warrant Officer in the Indian Naval Forces of Her Majesty, or in the establishment of the Government.

(4.) Any Office or employment of profit held in any Court of Justice, or under any Company or Society, whether corporate or not corporate.

(5.) Any Office or employment of profit, under any public institution, or on any public foundation, of whatever nature, or for whatever purpose the same may be established.

(6.) And every other public Office or employment of profit of a public nature.

6. The perquisites to be assessed under this Act shall be deemed to be such profits of offices and employments as arise from fees or other emoluments, and payable either by the Government or by the subject, in the course of executing such Offices or employments, and shall be estimated on the profits of the preceding year, ending on the 30th of April, or on such other day on which the accounts of such profits have been usually made up.

7. (1.) In all cases where any salaries, fees, wages, or other perquisites, or profits, or any annuities, pensions, or stipends shall be payable at any public Office, or by any Officer of the Government, or by any agent employed in that behalf, the Duties chargeable under this Act, in respect of such salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits, or in respect of such annuities, pensions, or stipends, shall be detained and stopped out of the same, or out of any money which shall be payable upon such salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits; or upon such annuities, pensions, or stipends; or for the arrears thereof, whenever the same shall happen, and be applied to the satisfaction of the Duties on such Offices or employments, or on such annuities, pensions, or stipends respectively (not being otherwise paid).

(2.) Whenever the sum so payable shall be assessed by the Commissioners for general purposes in their respective Districts, they shall transmit an account of the amount of the Duties assessed to the Office where the same are payable, in order that the amount so assessed may be there stopped or detained.

8. In all cases where the salaries, fees, wages, allowances, or profits of any Officer chargeable to the said Duties shall not arise out of any of the Offices mentioned in the foregoing Rule, but shall arise from any other Office or employment of profit chargeable to the said Duties, and the salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits, shall be payable at such Office by any Officer thereof, or by any receiver of the same respectively, or by any agent employed in that behalf, or shall be payable by any Company in whose employment the person chargeable shall be, the Duties chargeable under this Act in respect of such salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits, shall be detained and stopped out of the same, or out of any money which shall be paid upon such salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits, or for arrears thereof, whenever the same shall happen, and be applied to the satisfaction of the Duties (not otherwise paid) in the manner directed by this Act.

9. Such portion of the said Duties on Offices or employments of profit, or on annuities, pensions, or stipends as are charged with any sum money payable to any other person, shall be deducted out of the sum payable to such other person, as a like rate on such sum would amount unto. And all such persons, their agents, and receivers, shall allow such deductions and payments upon receipt of the residue of such sums.

10. Such portion of the said Duties charged on any Office or employment of profit, executed by any deputy or clerk, or other person employed under the principal in such Office, and paid by such principal out of the salary or profits of such principal, shall be deducted out of the salary or profits so payable, as a like rate on such salary or profits would amount unto; and all such deputies, clerks, and other persons so employed shall allow to their respective principals such deductions and payments upon the receipt of the residue of such salaries or wages.

11. In estimating the Duty payable for any such Office or employment of profit, or any pension, annuity, or stipend, all official deductions and payments made upon the receipt of the salaries, perquisites and profits thereof, or in passing the accounts belonging to such Office, or upon the receipt of such pension, annuity, or stipend, shall be allowed to be deducted, provided a due account thereof be rendered to the said Commissioners and proved to their satisfaction.

12. Every person to be assessed for his office or employment, shall be deemed to have exercised the same at the head office of the department under which such office or employment shall be held, and shall be rated for such office or employment, as if exercised at such Office, although the duties of such office or employment shall be performed, or any part of the profits thereof arising from such office or employment shall be payable elsewhere, within or out of British India, wherever he shall exercise his office or employment, shall be rated accordingly in the same District where such head office shall be established.

13. Where any person, who shall hold or exercise any public office or employment of profit, shall, at any time or times, during, or for, or in respect of any year of assessment, become entitled to any additional salary, fees, or emoluments beyond the amount for which any assessment may have been made upon him, or beyond the amount for which, at the commencement of such year, he may have been liable to be assessed, an additional or supplementary assessment shall from time to time, as often as the case shall require, be made upon such person for such additional salary, fees, or emoluments, so that he shall be assessed and charged for the full amount of the whole of the salary, fees, and emoluments which he shall receive or become entitled to at any time, and from time to time, during, or for, or in respect of the said year of assessment.

14. The several Commissioners authorised to act in the execution of this Act in relation to the Duties on offices or employments of profit, and on pensions or stipends, as soon after their appointment respectively as conveniently can be done in their respective departments, shall meet and take the oaths hereby prescribed in that behalf, and shall have power to elect and appoint an Assessor, and if they shall deem it necessary, Assessors for each separate department with the cognizance of the said Commissioners.

15. The Assessors appointed by the Commissioners under Schedule IV shall, within a time to be fixed by the respective Commissioners, deliver to them their certificates of assessment in writing under their hands, to be verified upon their oaths, of the full and just annual value of all offices and employments of profit chargeable under this Act, in the department for which they shall be appointed Assessors, and of all pensions and stipends estimated according to this Act, with the names of the several Officers and persons entitled to pensions or stipends, and the several sums of money they ought to pay by virtue of this Act, without abatement or deduction, and without concealment or favor, upon pain of forfeiture for every neglect in the premises of any sum not exceeding Rupees 1,000 nor less than Rupees 200.

16. The said Assessors shall charge and assess themselves and all other Officers, Clerks, and persons employed in their respective departments of office, and with respect to the Duty on pensions or stipends, shall charge and assess all persons entitled unto any such pensions or stipends, and shall respectively make their assessment according to the provisions of this Act.

17. Every such Assessor shall have free access to all documents and papers whatever in their respective Offices, touching the salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, and profits of any Officer, Clerk, or person aforesaid, belonging to their respective Offices, and touching the amount of the respective pensions or stipends, and shall be at liberty, whenever the same may be necessary, to require returns from the parties themselves, according to the provisions of this Act, that they may be enabled to make a true assessment in pursuance thereof.

18. No person shall, in respect of the profits arising from any Office, or from any pension or stipend chargeable before the respective Commissioners appointed for those purposes in their respective departments of Office as aforesaid, be liable to the penalty herein contained, for not returning a statement of the profits arising from such office, pension, or stipend in pursuance of any general notice hereinbefore directed, nor in any case except where the Assessor for those profits respectively shall have required a return thereof in pursuance of Rule No. 17.

19. Where any persons holding any such office or employment, or entitled unto any pension or stipend as aforesaid, shall claim to be exempt from such assessment, the Commissioners shall nevertheless set down in such assessment the names of such persons, and the full and just annual value of such Offices, employments, pensions, or stipends, and the claim to such exemption shall be proffered and examined by the Commissioners for general purposes of the District, and the merits thereof shall be heard and determined by the said Commissioners under the regulations of this Act with respect to other assessments.

20. (1.) Where any office or employment of profit chargeable by this Act is, or shall be executed by deputy, such deputy shall in all cases where he shall be in the receipt of the profits thereof, be answerable for, and shall pay such assessment as shall be charged thereon, and deduct the same out of the profits of such office or employment.

(2.) Where the salaries, fees, or profits of any Office or Offices in any such Office shall be receivable by any one or more of the said Officers, for the use of such Officers, to be divided amongst such Officers in certain proportions; the Officer or Officers receiving such salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits shall be answerable for the Duties charged thereon, and shall pay and deduct the same out of the funds provided for such respective offices or employments, before any division or apportionment thereof.

21. The proper Officers or their respective deputies, and the receivers and pay-masters in every Public Department of Office, and in every other Office for which Commissioners are hereby intended to be appointed, in raising the Duties hereby charged on such Offices respectively, and any agent by whom any salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits shall be payable, and registered Officers, and the Secretary or Principal Agent or Manager of any Company in whose employment any person chargeable under this Act may be, shall, upon any request to him made by the Assessors of the said Duties, deliver gratis true lists or accounts of all such salaries, fees, and profits belonging to such Officers or persons respectively, and of all pensions and stipends payable to them respectively, for the better guidance of the said Assessors in charging the same.

22. If the said Assessors shall be dissatisfied with such accounts, it shall be lawful for them to require any Officer or person, whose Office shall not be truly valued in such account, to prepare and produce to them, within the like period of time as is limited for the returns of other accounts by this Act, a list or account of the salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, and profits of the Office exercised by him, which returns such Officer or person shall be obliged to make under the penalties contained in this Act for not making other returns hereby required, and papers in their respective Offices.

23. The said Assessors shall, from the documents and papers in their respective Offices, as well as from such lists and accounts as aforesaid, make their assessment upon the persons holding such offices, or entitled unto such pensions respectively, according to the annual value thereof, and shall, in like manner as is before directed with respect to Assessors for any District, bring in their said assessments to the respective Commissioners for their allowance.

24. The said Commissioners, if satisfied with the said assessment, shall allow and set their hands to the same, and if not satisfied therewith, shall correct and alter the same, and shall, to that end, possess and exercise all the powers and authorities herein conferred upon the said Commissioners for general purposes, so far as the same are applicable to an assessment of the said Duties under Schedule IV, and shall finally allow and set their hands to the said assessments when so altered and corrected as aforesaid.

25. The said assessments, when so allowed and signed as aforesaid, shall be in force for one year, commencing and payable at the like periods as the assessments in Districts are made payable.

26. The said respective Commissioners for the Duties on offices shall cause the like duplicates to be made of the said assessments and delivered to Collectors, with like warrants to collect the said Duties, as are before directed to be given to Collectors for any Districts.

27. The said Officers for collection and receipt of the said Duties on offices, shall have the like authority to demand and levy the said Duties as is herein given, to the Collecting Officer of any District.

28. Provided, always, that in all cases where the Duties on any salaries, fees, wages, perquisites, or profits of any office shall be detained and stopped out of the same, or out of any monies which shall be paid thereupon, the respective Commissioners shall cause the like duplicates to be delivered to the proper Officers in the respective Offices who shall keep true accounts of all monies stopped and detained under the authority of this Act, and account for, and pay away the same as directed in of this Act.

29. Where the Duties hereby chargeable upon any office or employment of profit, cannot be detained and stopped according to the provisions of this Rule, or the amount of such Duties shall have been paid over to the person holding or exercising the said office or employment, and such person shall refuse or neglect to pay the sum of money charged upon him, the Commissioners for raising the Duties on the said offices shall and may certify in writing such neglect or refusal, and the sum payable by virtue of this Act.

80. When the last-mentioned Commissioners

When Commissioners shall be distinct from Commissioners for general purposes, the certificates to be addressed to the latter, who shall issue their warrants to the Collector of the District where parties reside for levying the same.

shall be distinct from the Commissioners for general purposes, such certificate shall be addressed to the Commissioners for general purposes, and upon the receipt of such certificate, or, in case the Commissioners for raising the Duties on the said Office shall be also the Commissioners for general purposes, as soon as the same shall have been signed by them, the Commissioners for general purposes shall issue their warrant, authorising and empowering the Collecting Officer of the District where such Officer or person shall reside, to levy the said Duties from such Officer or person.

81. Such Collecting Officer shall thereupon

Collectors to execute such warrants.

execute such warrant accordingly, and shall levy the said Duties by the like ways and means, and under the like powers as is herein provided, in regard to the Duties under Schedules I and II, and as if such Officer or person were charged to the said Duties in such District.

82. The respective Assessors and Officers ap-

Officers acting in raising the Duties on Offices liable to penalties for default.

pointed to raise and assess, or levy, collect and pay the sums of money to be charged under Schedule IV of the Act, shall respectively be subject to the penalties and forfeitures for refusing or neglecting the performance of their duty, or for being guilty of any fraud or abuse in executing the same as are inflicted on such Officers respectively, for the like offences in respect of Schedules I and II, or either of them.

83. Such of the said Duties, levied under

Duties to be stopped at the times at which payable.

Schedule IV of this Act, as may be stopped and deducted out of the sums in respect whereof they shall be charged or deducted, shall be respectively stopped or deducted at such times in each year as the said sums shall be payable to the person entitled thereto.

PART XI.

Discretionary modes of Assessment in particular Districts.

LXXXIII. Whenever it shall appear desirable

Government may order Assessment by Panchayets or otherwise than according to the general provisions of this Act.

to the local Government that the assessment to the Duties imposed under Schedules I and II of this Act, or either of them, in any District, Town, Village, or Tract of country, or in any portion or quarter of a District, Town, Village, or Tract of country, should be made by a Panchayet, or otherwise than according to the general provisions of this Act, it shall be lawful for such Government, subject to the approval of the Governor-General in Council, to order that the inhabitants of the said District, Town, Village, or Tract of country, or of the said portion of a District, Town, Village, or Tract, or any class of such inhabitants who shall be chargeable with such Duties, shall be assessed to the Duties mentioned in Schedules I and II of this Act, or in either of such Schedules, by Panchayet, or otherwise than according to the general provisions of this Act, and according to such mode of assessment as shall be directed by the

said local Government with such sanction as aforesaid, under the tenth part of this Act.

LXXXIV. It shall be lawful for the local

Government may rescind or vary the order from time to time.

Government, with such sanction as aforesaid, at any time after the said order shall have been in operation for one year, to rescind the said order, or from time to time to vary the same, and to alter the mode of assessment thereby directed.

LXXXV. Before any proceedings shall be had

Collector to publish such order in the District before proceedings are taken under it.

under such original order, or under any order varying the same, or in consequence of any such order of rescission, the Collector of the District shall cause such original order, or such varied order, or such order of rescission as aforesaid, to be published and notified in and throughout the said District, Town, Village, or Tract of country in the manner usual in such District, Town, Village, or Tract.

LXXXVI. Every such original order, and every

Orders shall also be published in the Government Gazette.

order varying the same, and every such order of rescission, shall also be published in the *Government Gazette* of the Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province in or nearest to which the said District or Town, Village or Tract shall be.

LXXXVII. Whenever any such original order,

Where any such order shall have been made and shall remain in force, Duties to be assessed under such order, and not under general provisions of Act.

or any order varying the same, shall have been made, the inhabitants of the said District, Town, Village, or Tract, or of such portion of such District, Town, Village, or Tract, or the Members of such class of the said inhabitants as aforesaid, who shall be chargeable with such Duties, shall, so long as such order shall be in force, be assessed in respect of all the property and profits mentioned in Schedules I and II of this Act, or in respect of all the property and profits mentioned in such one of the said Schedules as the said order shall direct, by panchayet or otherwise, according to the provisions of such order, and of the eleventh part of this Act; and not according to the general provisions of this Act.

LXXXVIII. Provided, always, that if any

Any person giving notice to the Collector within ten days after proclamation of order at his unwillingness to be assessed under the order, shall not be assessed under such order, but according to general provisions of Act.

inhabitant of the said District, Town, Village, or Tract of country, or of the portion or quarter of a District, Town, Village, or Tract, included in any such said original order, or in any order varying or altering the same, or any Member of the said class of inhabitants included in the said order shall, within ten days after the said original order, or order varying or altering the same, shall have been so proclaimed as aforesaid, notify to the Collector of the District, that he is desirous to be assessed according to the ordinary provisions of this Act, such person shall not be assessed under the said order, but shall be assessed under the ordinary provisions of this Act as contained in the third and fourth parts thereof, as if no such order had been made.

LXXXIX. The assessment to be made under any such order of the local Government, shall be made by such punchayet or other persons appointed as aforesaid, to the satisfaction of the Collector of the District, who shall be at liberty to attend at any meetings of such punchayet or persons as aforesaid, or from time to time, to call for their proceedings.

XC. If the said punchayet or persons propose to make an assessment with which the said Collector shall not be satisfied, he shall require them to reconsider and revise the same from time to time, until he shall be satisfied with the said assessment.

XCI. If the said Collector shall not be satisfied with the assessment proposed to be made, after he shall have so required them to reconsider the same as aforesaid, and if they shall refuse or neglect to revise and alter the same to his satisfaction, the said Collector shall certify that he is dissatisfied with the assessment proposed to be made, and thereupon no further proceedings shall be held under the said order; but the said several persons in the said District, Town, Village, or Tract of country, or in the said portion of District, Town, Village, and Tract, or in the said class mentioned in the said order, and chargeable by the said Duties, shall be assessed to the said Duties in the manner prescribed, and according to the ordinary provisions of this Act, as contained in the fourth and subsequent parts thereof, and shall be liable to make all the returns, statements, and declarations, and to do the several acts and things in order to the said assessment, and shall be subject to the same proceedings as in the fourth and subsequent parts of this Act provided, as if no such order had been made.

XCII. If the said Collector shall be satisfied with any assessment made by such punchayet or persons as aforesaid, he shall confirm the same, and shall cause proclamation to be made as aforesaid, in the said District, Town, Village, or Tract aforesaid, that he has confirmed the said assessment.

XCIII. The assessment so confirmed shall be final and conclusive, unless the same shall be disallowed or varied upon any such appeal or further proceeding as hereafter mentioned, and shall be subject also to be surcharged in case of fraud as in Section LXI of this Act provided.

Appeals from Assessment.

XCIV. (1.) If any person charged with the said Duties under any such assessment shall be dissatisfied therewith and shall, within days after the proclamation of the said assessment in the District, Town, Village, or Tract in which he shall reside, at the time of the

said assessment, (or in case of his being prevented from appealing within the time by sickness or any other excuse that shall appear reasonable to the said Collector, within such further time as the said Collector shall allow for that purpose,) satisfy the said Collector that he ought to be allowed to appeal from the said assessment, (in which case the Collector shall certify that, to his judgment, the said person ought to be allowed to appeal as aforesaid,) he shall be at liberty, within the time aforesaid, to appeal from the said assessment.

2. Where special Commissioners shall have been appointed for the District in which the said person shall have been assessed, such appeal shall lie to the Commissioners for special purposes of the District.

3. Where no such Commissioners shall have been appointed, such appeal shall lie to the Commissioners for general purposes of the said District.

XCV. 1. The proceedings upon any such appeal shall be conducted according to the provisions of Part IV of this Act, so far as the same are applicable, and according to any regulations that may be passed in that behalf under Section C of this Act.

2. The persons so appealing shall return all such lists, statements, and declarations, and shall do all such acts and things, and shall be subject to the said several provisions in the said Part IV, provided in regard to persons appealing, except so far as the same may be modified or varied by any special provisions contained in any such regulations, in which case the provisions of such regulations shall be observed.

XCVI. If, upon the hearing of any such appeal, the said Commissioners shall be satisfied that the Collector has so certified as aforesaid, and shall be of opinion that the said assessment upon

the person appealing as aforesaid is erroneous and excessive, the said Commissioners shall reduce the said assessment upon such person, and shall settle and ascertain, according to the best of their judgment, in what sum the person so appealing ought to be assessed, and make an assessment on him accordingly, which assessment shall be final and conclusive, subject only to such surcharge in the case of fraud as in the 61st Section of this Act is provided.

XCVII. If, upon the hearing of any such appeal, the person so appealing shall not satisfy the Commissioners that the Collector has so certified as aforesaid, and that the said assessment upon him was erroneous and excessive, his appeal shall be dismissed by the said Commissioners; and he shall be liable to be charged by them to the said Duties in a sum not exceeding double the amount at which he was assessed under the said assessment.

XCIII. 1. In any such case, it shall be

Commissioners to redistribute amount struck off from aggregate assessment among all the persons assessed, giving opportunity to persons re-assessed to be heard.

assessed by them, under the said order of Government, and to vary and increase the amount of assessment upon each of the said persons so assessed as aforesaid.

2. Before the said Commissioners shall finally increase the assessment upon any person who shall not have appealed to them, they shall cause notice to be given to such person to show cause before them why his assessment shall not be increased, and such person shall be entitled to be heard before the said Commissioners, in support of the said assessment, in the same manner and subject to the same regulations as persons appealing from assessments are entitled to be heard.

3. If such person shall not appear to show cause, or shall not, on appearing, show sufficient cause in the judgment of the said Commissioners against an increase of his said assessment, the said Commissioners shall increase the amount of his said assessment according to the best of their judgment.

4. If any such person shall show sufficient cause in the judgment of the said Commissioners against any increase of his assessment, the said Commissioners shall confirm his original assessment.

5. The assessment so varied and increased, or so confirmed by the said Commissioners, shall be final and conclusive.

XCIX. In all such cases of appeal it shall be

Members of Panchayets may attend before the Commissioners and support their assessment when appealed from.

support their said assessment.

C. 1. It shall be lawful for the local Government,

Local Government to make Regulations for the execution of this part of the Act, with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council.

1st.—For determining the mode of constituting the panchayet or other body of persons employed to make such assessments, and of appointing and removing the persons constituting the same, and of filling up vacancies among such persons.

2nd.—For regulating the proceedings of any panchayet, or of any persons who may be employed to make assessment under the tenth part of this Act, and of revising and correcting the same.

3rd.—For enabling the said panchayet or persons making such assessment as aforesaid, when and as they shall make an aggregate assessment on the whole of the persons chargeable under such assessment, to duly apportion the aggregate sum assessed among the several persons included in such assessment, and to revise and correct such apportionment.

4th.—For regulating the proceedings before the Commissioners upon any appeal from any assess-

ment, and for enabling such Commissioners upon the allowance of any appeal, to make a new apportionment and distribution of the sums assessed.

5th.—Generally for effecting the said assessment, and for all matters properly incidental thereto.

2. Such regulations shall be published in the Government Gazette of the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province, in or nearest to which the said District, Town, Village, or Tract of country shall be situated, and shall also be published and notified by proclamation in the said District, Town, Village, or Tract in the manner used therein.

3. Such regulations, when so published and notified, shall be binding on the several persons who shall have been assessed under such order, and shall, as to such persons, have the force and effect of law.

4. The sums assessed under Part X of the Act shall be paid at the time and in the manner prescribed in the general provisions of this Act, except so far as the said order shall postpone the time, or modify or vary the manner of payment, in which case the said sums shall be paid at the time and in the manner directed by the said order.

5. Upon any assessment being made under Part XI of this Act, the several provisions of this Act relating to the recovery of the Duties aforesaid, and the remedies in respect thereof, and the penalties and forfeiture for any refusal or neglect to comply with any of the regulations of this Act, shall extend to the persons so assessed as last aforesaid, and to the property of such persons.

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PART XII.

Exemptions and Deductions.

CIII. Any person who shall be charged or

chargeable to any of the Duties granted by this Act, either by assessment, or by way of deduction from any rent, annuity, interest, or other annual payment to which he may be entitled, or shall have paid the same either by deduction or otherwise, and who shall prove before the Commissioners for general purposes, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, that the aggregate annual amount of his income, estimated according to the several Rules and directions of this Act, is less than Rupees 200, shall be exempted from the said Duties, and shall be entitled to be re-paid the amount of all deductions or payments on account thereof, in the manner hereinafter directed, except so much of such Duties as the person claiming such exemption shall or may be entitled to charge against any other person, or to deduct or retain from, or out of any payment to which such claimant may be or become liable.

Exemption of persons whose income is less than 200 Rupees yearly.

CIV. Any person who shall be charged or

chargeable as aforesaid to any of the Duties granted by this Act, or shall have paid the same either by deduction or otherwise, and who shall prove before the said Commissioners, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, that his total income

Exemption of persons from the Duty of 1 per cent, from excess above 2 per cent, or 3 per cent. Duty, whose income is less than 500 Rupees annually.

from every source, although amounting to 200 Rupees or upwards, is less than 500 Rupees for the year of the assessment of his profits or gains, shall be exempted and relieved from the whole of the Duty of 1 Rupee in every 100 Rupees for local purposes mentioned in the 2nd Section of this Act, and from so much of the Duty of 3 Rupees in every 100 Rupees assessed upon, or paid by him, under the 1st Section of this Act, as shall exceed the rate of 2 Rupees for every 100 Rupees of his profits, and shall be entitled to be repaid the amount of all deductions or payments on account of the said Duty of 1 per cent., or of the excess of the said Duty of 3 per cent., from which he shall be so exempted as aforesaid, except as in the last preceding Section of this Act is excepted.

CV. 1. The exemption and relief in the said Sections respectively mentioned shall be claimed and proved, and all proceedings thereupon shall be had (except in the case provided for in Section CXIV of this Act,) before the Collectors and Commissioners for general purposes in the District where the claimants shall reside (whether such claimant shall be personally charged in such District or not).

2. Such exemption shall be proved, and such proceedings shall thereupon be had pursuant to and under the powers and provisions by which the Duties in Schedule II are herein directed to be ascertained and charged, and subject to the rules and directions hereinafter contained.

CVI. Every person claiming to be entitled to such exemption or relief as aforesaid shall, within the time to be limited as heretofore directed for delivering in the lists, declarations and statements required by this Act, or within such further time as the Collector or Commissioners respectively shall for special cause assigned allow, deliver, or cause to be delivered to the Assessor of the District where such claimant shall reside, a notice of his claim for such exemption, together with a declaration and statement signed by such claimant and in such form as may be provided under the authority of this Act, declaring and setting forth therein all the particular sources from whence the income of such claimant shall arise, and the particular amount arising from each source, and also every sum of annual interest or other annual payment reserved or charged thereon, whereby the income shall or may be diminished, and also every sum which such claimant may have charged, or may be entitled to charge against any other person, for or on account of the Duty made payable by this Act, or which he may have deducted or retained, or may be entitled to deduct or retain under the authority of this Act, from or out of any payment to which he may be or become liable.

2. Every Assessor shall be at liberty to peruse and examine and to take copies of, or extracts from every such declaration and statement under the like powers as in other cases.

CVII. The Assessor shall transmit such notice, declaration, and statement to the Collector, and the Assessor shall not object to such declaration within forty days after such transmission, or within such further time as the said

Collector, on just cause, shall allow to him to make such objection, and if the said Collector shall be satisfied with the justice of the said claim, the said Collector shall allow such claim of exemption or relief; and shall discharge, either wholly, or to the extent of such excess as aforesaid, as the case may require, the assessment made upon any property, or profits, or income of such person within the District of the said Collector.

CVIII. If it shall appear to the said Collector that any property or profits of such person is or are assessed, or liable to be assessed in any other District, the said Collector shall certify to the Chief Revenue Authority of the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province, in such form as shall be provided under the authority of this Act, the allowance of such exemption; and the said last-mentioned Chief Revenue Authority shall direct the assessment made upon any property or profits of such claimant, in any other District, to be discharged either wholly or to the extent of such excess, as aforesaid, as the case may require, and the same shall be discharged accordingly.

CIX. In case the Assessor shall object to any such claim as aforesaid in writing, suggesting to the said Collector that he has reason to believe that the income of such claimant, or any other particular required by this Act to be declared or set forth in such declaration and statement as aforesaid, is not truly or fully declared or set forth therein in any specified particular, or in case the Collector shall not be satisfied with the justice of such claim, then and in such case the merits of such claim for exemption or relief shall be heard and determined before the Commissioners for general purposes, under and subject to such rules, regulations, and penalties, as appeals under this Act are directed to be heard and determined.

CX. If such claim shall be allowed on appeal as aforesaid, the said Commissioners for general purposes shall grant and issue such certificates as aforesaid, and give all necessary directions consequent on such exemption and relief.

CXI. 1. If it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Collector or of the Commissioners for general purposes respectively, that any person, whose claim for exemption or relief has been allowed in manner aforesaid, has been charged to, and has paid any of the Duties hereby granted by way of deduction from any rent, annuity, interest, or other annual payment to which he may be entitled and from which a deduction is authorised to be made by this Act; or that such person has been assessed and has paid such Duties in respect of any interest, annuity, dividend, pension, or stipend payable to him out of the public revenue, then and in such case it shall be lawful for the said Collector, or for the Commissioners for general purposes respectively, to certify what shall have been so proved before them to the Chief Revenue Author-

erty aforesaid, by a certificate in such form as shall be provided under the authority of this Act, specifying and describing the amount and the particular nature of the payment out of which, and the name and place of abode of the person by whom such deduction as aforesaid shall have been made, and specifying also the amount and description of the annuity, dividend, pension, or stipend, in respect of which such claimant has been assessed, and the Duties whereon he has paid.

2. Thereupon the said last mentioned Revenue Authority shall issue to such claimant an order for the re-payment to him of the amount of the Duties certified to have been paid as aforesaid or of the excess of the said Duties certified to have been so paid as aforesaid, as the case may require, and such order shall be directed to such Officer of Revenue as shall be appointed in that behalf by the said Chief Revenue Authority, and shall authorize and require the re-payment of the said Duties, or of the said excess, as the case may be.

3. The same shall accordingly be repaid by such Officer on production and delivery to him of such order, taking the receipt of the party entitled by endorsement on such order.

CXII. The annual value of the property, or of the profits, or income of the nature described in Schedule I or Schedule II of this Act respectively, of any person claiming the said exemption, shall be estimated for the purpose of ascertaining his title to such exemption according to the Rules herein contained, relating to the said Schedule I and the said Schedule II respectively.

CXIII. Coparceners, joint tenants, or tenants in common of, and persons having joint or undivided interests in the profits of any property whatever, and any joint tenants of lands and persons jointly holding lands in partnership or otherwise, and entitled to the profits thereof in shares, and any partners carrying on trade or exercising any profession together, and entitled to the profits thereof in shares, may severally claim such exemption and relief according to their respective shares and interests in the manner before directed, and such claims being duly proved to the satisfaction of the Collector or Commissioners to whom the same are made, may be proceeded upon as in the case of several interests.

CXIV. 1. Where the whole income of the claimant shall arise from an office or employment of profit, the Duties whereon are cognizable before Commissioners under Sections XIX, XX, XXI, or XXIII of this Act, or from a pension or stipend, the Duties whereon are cognizable under Section XXII of this Act, the claim to exemption or relief may be made to and allowed by the Commissioners by whom the said Duties are so cognizable.

2. If such claimant shall be out of British India, an affidavit stating the several matters required by this Act, taken before any person having authority to administer an oath in the place where such claimant shall reside, may be received by the respective Commissioners for executing this Act, in relation to the assessment on which such claim shall be founded.

CXV. Any such claim for exemption may be

Claims may be made by Agents or Trustees on account of others.

made by any guardian, trustee, attorney, agent or factor, on account of others, in any case where satisfactory proof shall be made that the party claiming

such exemption is unable to attend in person, or such claim may be made by the several persons acting in any of the characters hereinbefore described in such manner as they may act for others for the purpose of being assessed on their account in the first instance, as heretofore directed.

CXVI. No person shall be chargeable to the said Duties in respect of any property, real or personal, or vested in, or held in trust for the Government, or the Secretary of State for India in Council, for public purposes—and all such property shall be wholly exempted from the said Duties.

CXVII. All Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates of Her Majesty's Forces, or of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, (or of any Police Force) and all petty Officers not being Warrant Officers, and Private Sailors of Her Majesty's Navy, or of Her Majesty's Indian Naval Forces, or in the employment of the Government of India in the Marine Department, shall be wholly exempted from the said Duties in respect of any pay or allowance that they may receive from Her Majesty, or from the Government, or from any public revenue.

CXVIII. It shall be lawful for the local Governments of any Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province, (subject to the approval of the Governor-General of India in Council,) upon the representation of the Chief Civil Officer or the Chief Revenue Officer in any Division or District in such Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province that any property, moveable or immovable, in such Division or District, solely employed for or dedicated to charitable purposes or public religious purposes, or that any person or class of persons in respect of any such property ought to be wholly or partially exempted from the said Duties, to order that such property, or such person, or such class of persons in respect of such property, shall be wholly or partially exempted from the said Duties; and to make such orders as may be necessary for securing and carrying into effect such exemption, and thereupon the property mentioned in the said order, and the person or class of persons mentioned in the said order, in respect of such property, shall be exempted and relieved from the said Duties, wholly or in part, to the extent, and according to the operation of such order.

CXIX. 1. Any person who shall have made insurance on his life, or on the life of his wife, or shall have contracted for any deferred annuity on his own life, or on the life of his wife, in or with any Insurance Company duly registered under any Act of the Imperial Parliament, or under any Act of the Governor-General of India in Council, or authorised by law to car-

Persons who have made Insurance or contracted for a deferred Annuity on the lives of themselves or wives, to be allowed an abatement of Duty in respect of the annual premiums or sums paid.

ry on business without registration, and any person who shall be liable to the payment of an annual sum, or to have an annual sum deducted from his salary or stipend, in order to secure a deferred annuity to himself or to his widow, or a provision to his children after his death, shall be entitled to deduct the amount of the annual premium paid by him for such insurance or contract, or the annual sum paid by him, or deducted from his salary or stipend as aforesaid, from any income or profits in respect of which he shall be liable to be assessed under any of the Schedules of this Act, excepting Schedule III; or to have any assessment which may be made upon him under any of the said Schedules, except Schedule III, reduced or abated by the deduction of the amount of the said annual premium or sum from the amount of the profits or income on which such assessment has been made.

2. Or if ~~such~~ person shall be assessed to Duties under any of the Schedules contained in this Act and shall have paid such assessment, or shall have paid or been charged with any of the said Duties by deduction or otherwise, such person, on claim made to the Commissioners for special purposes of the District, or, when no such Commissioners shall have been appointed, to the Commissioners for general purposes, and on production to them of the receipt for such annual payment or sums, and on proof of the facts to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners, shall be entitled to have repaid to him such portion of the said Duties paid by such person as the amount of the said annual premium or sum bears to the whole amount of his profits and gains on which he shall be chargeable under all or any of the Schedules of this Act.

3. Provided always, that no such abatement, allowances, or re-payment as aforesaid, shall be made in respect of any such annual premium or sum beyond one-sixth part of the whole amount of the profits and income of such person so chargeable as aforesaid, nor shall any such deduction or abatement entitle any such person to claim exemption or relief from Duty, on the ground of his profits or income being thereby reduced below 200 Rupees, or 500 Rupees, as the case may be.

Relief from Double Assessments.

CXX. 1. Whenever any person shall have been assessed to any of the Duties granted by this Act, whether charged on him on his own account, or in any of the characters hereinbefore described on the behalf of any other person, and shall, by any error or mistake, be again assessed for the same cause and on the same account, and for the same year, it shall be lawful for him to apply to the Commissioners for general purposes, acting for the Division or place for which he shall have been so assessed, for the purpose of being relieved from such double assessment, and the said Commissioners, on due proof thereof to their satisfaction, shall cause such assessment or such part thereof as shall be a double charge as aforesaid to be vacated.

2. Such proof may be either by a certificate of the assessment made on the party, under the hands of the Commissioners by whom he shall have been rightly assessed according to the directions of this Act for the matter or cause in question, certifying that such matter or cause is included in an assessment made by them on the

same party on the same account and for the same year, or by other lawful evidence given of those facts on the oath of any credible witnesses.

CXXI. Whenever it shall be found to the satisfaction of the Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid, that any such double assessment as aforesaid has been made and has not been vacated, and that payment has been made of both assessments, it shall be lawful for the said Chief Revenue Authority to order and direct the Collector, or any Officer for receipt, to repay to the party the sum so erroneously and doubly assessed upon him and paid as aforesaid.

CXXII. 1. If within or at the end of the year current, at the time of making any assessment under this Act, or at the end of any year, when such assessment ought to have been made, any person charged to the Duties contained in either of the Schedule I or II, shall find and shall prove to the satisfaction of the Commissioners by whom the assessment was made and allowed, that his profits during such year for which the computation was made fell short of the sum so computed in respect of the same source of profits on which the computation was made, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners to cause the assessment made for such current year to be amended in respect of such source of profit, as the case shall require; and in case the sum assessed shall have been paid, to certify under their hands, to the Commissioner of the Division, or in any of the said Presidency Towns or Stations to the Chief Revenue Authority of the Towns or Stations, the amount of the sum overpaid upon such first assessment.

2. Thereupon the said Commissioner of Revenue, or Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid, shall issue an order for the re-payment of such sum as shall have been so overpaid, which order shall be directed to such Officer of Revenue as the said Commissioner of Revenue, or the Chief Revenue Authority aforesaid, shall appoint in that behalf, and shall authorize and require the re-payment of the said sum so overpaid as aforesaid.

3. Such sum shall accordingly be paid by such Officer on production and delivery to him of such order, taking the receipt of the party entitled to the same by endorsement on such order.

CXXIII. 1. In case any person charged to the said Duties under Schedule II shall cease to exercise the profession or to carry on the trade in respect whereof such assessment was made, or shall die, or become bankrupt or insolvent before the end of the year for making such assessment, or shall, from any other specific cause, be deprived of, or lose the profits on which the computation of Duty charged in such assessment was made, it shall be lawful for such person or his representative to make application to the Commissioners for general purposes of the District, within three calendar months after the end of such year, and on due proof thereof to their satisfaction, the said Commissioners shall cause the assessment to be amended as the case may require, and give such relief to the party charged, or his representatives, as shall be just.

2 In cases requiring the same, the said Commissioners shall certify in the manner provided in the

Section of this Act, and upon such certificate, the Commissioner of Revenue or the Chief Revenue Authority alone and shall, in the manner provided in that Section, order re-payment to be made of such sum as shall have been overpaid on the assessment intended or vacated, which re-payment shall be made in the manner provided in the said Section.

3 Provided, always, that where any person shall have succeeded to the trade of the party charged, no such amendment shall be made, unless it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners that the profits of such trade have fallen short from some specific cause, not alleged to them and proved, since such change or succession took place, or by reason thereof, but such person so succeeding to the same shall be liable to the payment of the full Duties thereon, without any new assessment.

CXXIV. 1 If any difference shall arise between any persons to whom any interest, rent or charges, annuity, quit rent, or other rent or annual payment shall be payable, touching the same, to be deducted therefrom

Commissioners to settle differences respecting deductions to be made in account of Duties.

account of the Duties hereby charged, having been paid, or between the owner or person in receipt of rent for the time being and any tenant, owner or person in receipt of rents of any lands, or has representative or assigns, touching the proportion of Duty to be paid or allowed by either party, the Commissioners for general purposes in their several Districts, shall have authority to settle the proportions of such payments and deductions, as shall be according to the directions of this Act, and, in default of payment, to levy the same respectively under the like powers as they might have levied the same if the assessment had been made in the same proportions, and to pay over the same to the Collector or payee, in the case may require.

2 In such cases the judgment and determination of such Commissioners shall be final.

CXXV. In the computation of Duty to be made under this Act for any purpose whatsoever, it shall not be lawful to make any other deductions than such as are expressly allowed by this Act, nor to make any deduction

What deductions shall not be allowed in computing the Duties to be charged under this Act.

tion on account of any annual interest, annuity, or other annual payment to be paid to any person out of any profits or gains chargeable by this Act, in regard that a proportionate part of the Duty so to be charged is allowed to be deducted on making such payment, nor to make any deduction from the profits arising from any property chargeable with Duty under Schedules I and III of this Act, or either of them, or from any office or employment of profit, chargeable under Schedule IV of this Act, on account of diminution of capital employed or of loss sustained in any trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern, or in any profession.

PART XIII.

Modes of Payment and Collection of the Duties.

CXXVI. The Duties assessed under this Act, except where the same shall be detained and stopped at the respective Offices, shall be payable by four quarterly instalments.

quarterly instalment at the time of Paying, that is to say, on or before the 1st day of August for the first quarterly instalment, on or before the 1st day of November for the second quarterly instalment, on or before the 1st day of February for the third quarterly instalment, and on or before the 1st day of May for the fourth quarterly instalment in each year.

CXXVII. 1 The respective Commissioners executing this Act in relation to the Duties hereby imposed shall, as soon as possible after the 1st day of April in every year, cause to be determined and delivered to the respective Collectors duplicate copies of the accounts of the respective Duties charged to a specific rates mentioned in the respective Schedules of this Act, distinguishing the amounts charged under each of the said Schedules.

2 Such duplicates shall except in the cases provided for in Sections CXXVIII and CXXIX of this Act, contain the names and descriptions of the persons and land to be charged with the same, and copies when received by the Collector shall be offered to him and authorized by him to be levied and collected of the said persons and lands under this Act, and specified in the said duplicates as the same shall become payable by the said persons as aforesaid, in the manner hereinafter directed.

CXXVIII. Whenever the Treasury or Office for which any of the Duties under this Act have been assessed within a District established by the Government shall be closed within a month in the place stipulated in the respective notices assessed thereon, the respective Act shall read,

such person shall pay the instalments of Duties within the stipulated time, charging the same, such instalment may be paid to the Officer in charge of the District, or to any other person duly authorized in the premises shall have become payable.

CXXIX. 1 Whenever such Treasury or Office for which any of the Duties shall have been assessed shall be closed within a month in the place stipulated in the respective notices assessed thereon, the respective Act shall read,

the Collector of the Duties shall deliver to the said person a memorandum, signed by such Officer of the amount of the instalments payable by any such person, containing more than a full statement of such person or Officer as to the amount of the instalment paid of such person, to be delivered by the Collector to the person to be appointed in that behalf by the Collector.

2 Such collection officer or person shall, within a specified number of days after such payment has been delivered to him as aforesaid, make a memorandum of the person named in such memorandum, or at the place of abode mentioned in such memorandum, of the amount of the instalment so mentioned.

CXXX. Whenever any payment shall be made, either at such Treasury or Office, or to any collecting officer or person as aforesaid,

to whom any such memorandum as aforesaid shall have been delivered by the Collector, of any instalment of Duties assessed under this Act, the officer

under his hand, unto the person who shall pay the same, and such receipt shall be a full and complete discharge to every person who shall pay the same for the sum so paid as aforesaid.

CXXXI. The Collector of each District shall cause general notice to be given in his District by proclamation in the manner usual in the said District, and also by affixing such notice at the Office of the said Collector, of the Treasuries or Offices established by the Government within the said District for the receipt of the said Duties, or of the officers or persons to whom the said Duties at different places within the said District, may be paid.

Mode of payment of Duties under Schedule II, when parties desire to pay according to Numbers or Letters.

CXXXII. 1. All assessments upon profits under Schedule II, made by the Commissioners for general purposes, or by the Commissioners for special purposes, shall be entered in books, with the names and descriptions of the persons to be charged therewith, and their respective places of abode set opposite thereto, which entries shall respectively be numbered progressively, or lettered or distinguished by numbers or letters, as the said Commissioners shall think proper.

2. When, and as soon as the said Commissioners shall have caused to be made any such entry in such book, in case the person charged by such assessment shall have declared his intention to pay the Duty at the proper Treasury or to the proper Officer for receipt within the time limited by this Act for payment thereof, and in case the said Commissioners shall be satisfied with such declaration, they shall deliver to such person, or to such other person as shall be there attending on his behalf, a certificate under the hands of two or more of such Commissioners, specifying the amount of the sums to be paid within one year upon such assessment.

3. Every such certificate shall be numbered or lettered with the same number or letter as the entry in the book of the said Commissioners, to which such certificate shall relate, without naming otherwise describing the person charged.

4. Such certificate shall, on production thereof, be a sufficient authority to the said Officer for receipt, from time to time, to receive from any person bearing and producing such certificate, the amount of the sums therein contained in such proportions thereof as by this Act are made payable by instalments, and at the times by this Act appointed for payment thereof.

5. On the payment of the sums contained in any such certificate, or any proportion thereof, the said Officer for receipt shall give certificates for the same, acknowledging the receipt of the sums paid on account of the certificate of the said respective Commissioners, by the number or letter marked therein, as before directed.

CXXXIII. It shall be lawful for the respective Commissioners, whether for general or special purposes, to issue out and deliver to the respective Collectors duplicates of the assessments made by them, containing the sums assessed on every person to whom a certificate hath been delivered by letter or number, together with the number or letter set opposite thereto in their respective books before mentioned, without naming such persons, and all such sums shall be paid to the respective Officers for receipts: and such part thereof as shall not be so paid to them, may be levied and collected as herein is mentioned.

CXXXIV. 1. The Duties payable on such last-mentioned assessments under Schedule II, at the proper Treasury, or shall be paid to the proper Officer for receipt, by such instalments as by this Act is directed, on or before the respective days appointed for such payments.

2. The certificates hereby required to be given on such payments shall be delivered to the respective Commissioners, or to their Clerk at their Office, before the time when the same are hereby made payable, taking his or their receipt for the same, which receipt shall be a sufficient discharge for the money so paid, in satisfaction of so much of the assessment as shall be mentioned in such certificate to be so paid.

3. If any person shall neglect to pay such Duties at the time and in the manner hereby directed for payment thereof, or having paid the same, shall neglect to deliver the certificate required to be given on such payment as hereinbefore directed, it shall be lawful for the Commissioners by whom the assessment shall have been made, and they are hereby required to deliver a duplicate of all sums assessed on any person who shall have made default in paying or accounting for the payment of the same, with his name and description, to the Collector, in order that he may levy the sum in arrear and unpaid, and such sums shall therefore be levied according to the provisions hereinafter contained.

CXXXV. In all cases where the Commissioners shall not have received a declaration of the intended payment to the Officer for receipt, as aforesaid, of the Duty to be charged under Schedule II, or shall not be satisfied with such declaration, they shall deliver a duplicate of the assessments to the Collector, with the names and descriptions of the parties charged therewith, as provided in Section CXXVII of this Act.

CXXXVI. If after the receipt of any such declaration, the Duties shall not be duly satisfied and paid accordingly, the said Commissioners shall cause the names of the defaulters, and the amount of Duty assessed on each, to be inserted, from time to time, in the duplicate assessment of the Collector; and such duplicate shall be of the like force and effect for collecting the same, and such sums shall be levied as if such names and sums had

Duplicates to be delivered to Collectors, and when assessments are made under a number or letter, a warrant for receiving the Duties to be delivered

Persons charged to pay the Duties to the proper Officers for Receipts; and, in default, the Duties may be levied in the ordinary way.

When parties are not assessed by a number or letter, Commissioners to deliver Duplicates to Collector for collection.

If after declaration of intention to pay under number or letter default is made, Commissioners to deliver Duplicates to Collector.

been inserted therein at the time of issuing such duplicate.

CXXXVII. Whenever the amount of any instalment of the said Duties shall not be paid in manner aforesaid, by the person liable to pay the same within seven days after the day appointed by this Act aforesaid, for the payment of such instalment, the Collector shall proceed for the recovery of such instalment, by a distress and sale of the moveable property or attachment and sale of the immovable property of the person so making default.

CXXXVIII. In the seizure and sale of moveable property for arrears of assessment, the following Rules shall be observed :—

1st.—The Collector shall employ a person to distrain the property, hereinafter called the Distraining Officer, and shall furnish to such Officer a demand in writing signed by the Collector, or by some Officer empowered by him in that behalf, specifying the amount of the arrear for which the distress may be issued, and the date on which the arrear fell due.

2nd. The Distraining Officer shall produce the writing as authority for making the distress, and on the day on which the property may be distrained, shall deliver a copy of such writing to the defaulter, endorsing thereon a list or inventory of the property distrained, and the name of the place where may be lodged or kept.

3rd.—The writing shall further set forth that the distrained property will be brought to public sale within days, unless the amount and the expense of the distress be previously discharged.

4th.—When a defaulter shall be absent, a copy of the writing, with the endorsement, shall be fixed or left at his usual place of residence, before the expiration of the third day, calculating from the day of the distress.

CXXXIX. When a defaulter, on receiving notice, shall neglect to pay the amount due, or when a defaulter shall have absconded, or be otherwise not forthcoming, so that the notice cannot be served upon him, the Distraining Officer shall, in either case, transmit an inventory of the property distrained to the Collector.

CXL. When a defaulter shall tender payment of the arrear demanded, after his property shall have been distrained before the day fixed for sale, together with payment of the necessary expenses attending the distress, the Distraining Officer shall receive the amount of such arrear and expenses, and shall forthwith release the property.

CXLI. The distress levied shall not be excessive, and the property distrained shall be as nearly as possible proportionate to the amount of the arrear.

CXLII. The distress shall be made after sunrise and before sunset, and not otherwise.

CXLIII. The Distraining Officer shall have power to force open any stable, cow-house, godah, granary, godown, out-house, or other building, as also to enter any dwelling-house, the outer door of which may be open, (excepting the apartments in such dwelling-house appropriated for the zenamah or residence of women, which, by the usage of the country, are considered private,) and to break open the door of any room in such dwelling-house for the purpose of attaching property belonging to a defaulter and lodged therein.

CXLIV. 1. Where a Distraining Officer shall have reason to suppose that the property of a defaulter is lodged within a dwelling-house, the outer door of which may be shut, or within any apartments appropriated to women, which by the usage of the country are considered private, such Officer shall represent the same to the head Officer of the Police, (within whose jurisdiction the house may be situated) and on such representation the head Officer of the Police shall send a Police Officer not under the degree of a to the spot, in the presence of whom the Distraining Officer may force open the outer door of such dwelling-house.

2. The Distraining Officer may also, in the presence of the Police Officer, after due notice given for the removal of women within a zenamah and after furnishing means for their removal in a suitable manner, (if they be women of rank who, according to the custom of the country, cannot appear in public) enter the zenamah apartments for the purpose of distraining the defaulter's property therein; but such property, if found, shall be immediately removed from such apartments, after which they shall be left free to the former occupants.

CXLV. Immediately on the occurrence of an arrear, or at any subsequent period, the Collector shall have authority to attach at his discretion the whole or such portion of a defaulter's immovable property as he may deem sufficient to answer the amount in arrear; but the previous sanction of the Chief Revenue Authority of the Division shall, in all cases, be necessary for the sale of immovable property.

CXLVI. When a defaulter shall not have any moveable property, of which distraint can be made, or when, after the moveable property of such defaulter shall have been distrained and sold, the arrear due, with interest, and all expenses of the distress and sale is not liquidated by the proceeds of such sale, the Collector may, with such sanction as aforesaid, proceed to sell the immovable property of the defaulter.

CXLVII. The person or Officer employed by the Collector to sell moveable property distrained, or immovable property attached under this Act, shall cause to be affixed to the outer door of the defaulter's house a list of the property to be sold, with a notice specifying the place where, and the day and hour at which the property will be sold, and shall cause proclamation of the intended sale to be made in the manner usual in the District in such place or places as the Collector may consider necessary to give due publicity to the sale.

CXLVIII. No sale of immovable property shall take place until after the expiration of a period of fifteen days from the date on which the notice may be so affixed.

CXLIX. 1. At the appointed time, the property, moveable or immovable, shall be put up for sale under the order of the Collector in one or more lots, as the Collector or the Officer employed by him in that behalf shall direct, and shall be sold to the highest bidder.

2. When the property shall be sold for more than the amount of the arrear, the overplus, after deducting expenses of process and interest, shall be paid to the defaulter.

CL. When the immovable property of a defaulter is first attached and sold, if the arrears due, with expenses of attachment and sale, and all other just charges, be not fully liquidated by the sale, the Collector may cause the moveable property of the defaulter to be distrained and sold for the recovery of the balance thereof, with interest, and all expenses of the distress and sale.

CLI. 1. If any person assessed to the said Duties shall remove out of the District in which he shall have been assessed, without first paying or discharging all the Duties charged upon him

which shall be due and payable, and without leaving in such District sufficient property whence the whole of the said Duties may be raised and levied; or if any person shall reside in any other District than that in which the assessment or charge shall be made on him in pursuance of this Act, and the same shall be in arrear and unsatisfied in the whole or in part, it shall be lawful for the Collector of the District in which such assessment or charge shall have been made, to certify to the Collector of the District within which such person shall reside, the amount of the assessment or charge made upon such person, and remaining in arrear, and unpaid as aforesaid.

2. Such last-mentioned Collector shall thereupon cause the whole of the Duty so remaining in arrear and unpaid as aforesaid to be raised and levied, together with the costs and charges attending, in the same manner as if the said person had been assessed in the District of the said last-mentioned Collector.

CLII. The fees payable upon distraints or attachments under this Act shall be such as are set forth in the Table of Fees in the Schedule hereto annexed, and marked VII.

The fees upon distraints should be according to Table of Fees in Schedule VII.

CLIII. Instead of proceeding by distress and sale, or by attachment and sale, or in case of failure to realise thereby the whole or any part of the Duty assessed and payable under this Act, the Collector of the District may, if he shall think fit, and if any instalment shall remain unpaid for more than fourteen days after the day appointed for the payment thereof file in any Court of competent jurisdiction within the District in which the person liable shall reside, whether established by Royal Charter or not, a certificate that such person has been duly assessed under this Act, specifying the yearly sum in which and the period for which he shall have been so assessed; stating that an instalment of the said Duties so assessed remains unpaid, stating the amount of such instalment, and the time at which it became payable.

Instead of proceeding by distress and sale, Collector may file a Certificate of non-payment in a Court of competent jurisdiction of the District.

CLIV. Such certificate shall have the same effect in regard to the person and property, moveable or immovable, of the said defaulter, as if a final decree or judgment had been obtained by the said Collector on behalf of the Secretary of State in Council against such person for the payment of the said arrears of Duty in a regular suit in the said Court, and it shall be lawful for the Collector to take the same proceedings by execution and process of the said Court as he would have been entitled to take such final decree or judgment.

CLV. All such Duties as shall be duly assessed or charged under any of the provisions of this Act, if not paid, levied, or collected according to the direction herein mentioned, shall also be recoverable as a debt to, and in the name of the Secretary of State for India in Council, with full costs of suit, and all charges and expenses attending the same.

CLVI. The claim of the Government for all sums payable for the said Duties shall have priority over all other claims upon any immovable property attached, or upon any moveable property distrained under this Act.

CLVII. 1. No goods or chattels belonging to any person at the time any of the Duties to be assessed under this Act shall become in arrear, shall be liable to be taken by virtue of any execution or other process, warrant or authority, or by virtue of any assignment, or on any account or pretence whatever, (except at the suit of the landlord for rent,) unless the person at whose suit the execution or seizure shall be sued out or made, or to whom such assignment shall be made, shall, before the sale or removal of such goods and chattels, pay, or cause to be paid to the proper Officer all arrears of the said Duties which shall be due at the time of making such

Goods of defaulters are not to be removed under any execution or assignment, until all Duties are paid. Exception in favor of land lord's claim to arrear rent

goods or chattels, or which shall be payable for the year in which such seizure shall be made, provided that the said Duties shall not be claimed under this Section for more than one year.

2. The exception herein before contained as to Landlord's claim shall not extend beyond six months. the landlord's claim to rent shall not extend beyond six months' arrears of any rent due to the said landlord.

CLVIII. When any person chargeable with the Duties hereby made payable as aforesaid shall be under the age of twenty-one years, or when any person so chargeable shall die, in every such case the parents or guardians of such infant, upon default of payment by him, and the representative of the person so dying, shall be, and are hereby made liable to and charged with the payments which the said infant ought to have made, or the person so dying was chargeable with, and if such parents or guardians, or such representatives shall neglect or refuse to pay as aforesaid, it shall be lawful to proceed against them in like manner as against any other person making default of payment of the said Duties; and the parent or guardian making payments as aforesaid shall be allowed every sum paid for such infant in his accounts, and all representatives shall be allowed to deduct all such payments out of the assets of the person so dying.

CLIX. If this Act shall not be executed in any District previous to the time appointed for the payment of the first or any subsequent instalment of the said Duties, or within the year of assessment, it shall be lawful for the Commissioners executing this Act, who shall have made or allowed any assessment after the period appointed for any such payment, (which they are hereby declared to be competent to do,) from time to time, when and as the same shall be necessary, to settle and adjust at what time any instalment of which the time for payment shall then have elapsed, shall be paid, in such manner as to them shall appear just and reasonable.

PART XIV.

Application of the Duties.

CLX. All monies arising from the Duties hereby imposed (the necessary charges of raising and accounting for the same excepted,) shall be paid into such of the Treasuries of Her Majesty's Government in India as the local Government shall from time to time direct, to an account to be headed Income Tax Account.

CLXI. 1. Separate accounts shall be kept at the said Treasuries of all sums paid in on account of the said 3 per cent. Duty, and of those paid on account of the said 1 per cent. Duty.

2. Separate accounts shall also be kept at the said Treasuries.

Separate account also to be kept in respect of 1 per cent Duty.

1st.—Of sums paid in Presidency Towns and Straits Settlements.

2nd.—Of sums paid in Towns in which Act XXI of 1850 is in force.

3rd.—Of all other sums paid in each District.

1st.—Of such sums paid in on account of the said 1 per cent Duty, as shall have been assessed upon persons residing in, or carrying on business in, or upon any house or land in any of the Presidency Towns or Stations.

2ndly.—Of such sums paid in on account of the said 1 per cent. Duty as shall have been assessed upon any person residing in, or carrying on business in, or upon any house or land in any Town or Suburb not within the Presidency Towns or Stations aforesaid, wherein Act XXVI of 1850 shall be in force, and Commissioners shall have been appointed under that Act, and,

3rdly.—Of all sums paid in or on account of the said 1 per cent. Duty as shall have been assessed upon any other person, or any other houses or lands in each District.

CLXII. The said sums paid into the said Treasuries, on account of the said 3 per cent. Duty, shall be transferred, from time to time, for the service of the Government of India, in such manner, at such times, and under such authority, rules and regulations as are, or may be appointed or made, with regard to any other monies arising from Duties payable to the said Government, or as the Governor-General of India in Council shall, from time to time, direct or appoint.

CLXIII. Of the said sums so paid into the Treasury to the said Income Tax Account, the net sums paid in on account of the said one per cent. Duty by persons whose incomes shall exceed Co's Rupees 500 in the year, shall, after deducting all charges and expenses relating thereto, be paid over and accounted for in the manner and according to the following Rules:—

1st.—When the said sums shall have been assessed upon persons residing or carrying on trade in, or upon lands or houses in any of the Presidency Towns or Stations aforesaid, in which any Municipal Commissioners shall have been appointed, and shall be acting under Act XIV of 1850, the same shall be paid and accounted for to the said Municipal Commissioners, to a separate account to be kept by the said Commissioners, and to be headed Income Tax Account.

2nd.—When the said sums shall have been assessed upon persons residing, or carrying on trade in, or upon lands or houses in any Town or Suburb, not within any of the said Presidency Towns, wherein Act XXVI of 1850, or any Act by which the same may be amended, or which may be substituted for the same, shall be in force, and wherein Commissioners shall have been ap-

pointed, and shall be acting under the said Act, the sums shall be paid over and accounted for to the said Commissioners to a separate account to be headed Income Tax Account.

3rd.—When the said sums shall have been assessed upon any other persons, or any other houses or lands than those mentioned in the 2nd and 3rd Clauses of this Section, the same shall be paid over and accounted for to such Commissioners as the local Government shall, from time to time, appoint for the District in which the said sum shall have been assessed and received, to be called "Commissioners for local purposes" to an account to be headed Income Tax Account.

CLXIV. 1. In each and every District in India, not being within any of the Presidency Towns or the Settlements aforesaid, the several local Governments shall

Power to Government to appoint Commissioners for local purposes.

At least one to be a person not in service of Government.

appoint such and so many persons, not less than (three) in number, as it shall deem expedient to be Commissioners for local purposes under this Act, within the said several Districts respectively, of whom at least (one) shall be a person not in the service of or holding any office under the Government.

2. Provided that, if it shall appear to the local

Except when no competent person, not in service of Government, can be found.

Government that no person, competent to exercise the duties of Commissioners, can be found within the District, or if any person bring so appointed as aforesaid shall decline or neglect to take upon himself the execution of the said office, and in the judgment of the local Government it be deemed expedient to appoint a person in the service of Government in the place of such person, it shall be lawful for the said local Government, subject to such approval as aforesaid, to appoint a person in the service of the Government to be one of the said Commissioners in lieu of the person so declining or neglecting.

CLXV. 1. It shall be lawful for the local

Government may divide Districts into two or more Divisions for local purposes, to appoint Commissioners in each.

Government, if it shall think fit, with the sanction of the Governor-General of India in Council, to direct that any District, not being within any of the said Presidency Towns or the said Settlements, shall be divided, for the purposes in the 14th Part of this Act mentioned, into two or more Divisions: and to appoint "Commissioners for Local Purposes" for and in each of such Divisions respectively.

2. Such Commissioners, when so appointed shall have all and every the powers and authorities within the Division for which they shall have been appointed, as the said Commissioners for local purposes appointed for any District shall have

CLXVI. In case of any such division of any

In that case separate accounts to be kept at the Treasury of sums received on account of 1 per cent. Duty in each Division.

District for the purposes last aforesaid, separate accounts shall be kept at the Treasury into which the Duties levied in, and on account of such District shall be paid as aforesaid, of all such sums paid in on account of the said 1 per cent. Duty as shall have been assessed upon or received from any person residing or carrying on business on any

lands or houses in each of the Divisions of such District.

CLXVII. In such case such sums only as

Sum assessed in each Division to be paid to Commissioners for local purposes of such Division.

have been assessed upon and received from the persons on the lands and houses within each of the said Divisions of the District, shall be paid and accounted for to the Commissioners for local purposes appointed for such Division.

CLXVIII. The Commissioners for local purposes shall be, from time to time, appointed and shall be

Commissioners to be removed and vacancies filled up in same manner as in case of Commissioners of Divisions for general purposes.

removable, and vacancies in their number shall be filled up, in the manner provided in Section IX. of this Act in regard to Commissioners for general

purposes.

CLXIX. The Commissioners for local purposes

Commissioners for local purposes not to exercise any power within any Town in which Act XXV of 1856 or Act XXIII of 1850 is in force

so appointed as aforesaid, shall not exercise any of the powers hereby conferred on them within, or in respect of, any Town or Suburb in which Act No. XXV of 1856 or Act No. XXVI of 1850 shall be in force

and in which Commissioners shall have been appointed and shall be acting under either of the said Acts.

CLXX. 1. The said Municipal Commissioners,

The Municipal Commissioners, Commissioners under Act XXVI of 1850, or the Commissioners for local purposes, to apply the 1 per cent. Duty for new public works or improvements as Government shall approve or direct.

the said Commissioners under Act XXVI of 1850, and the said Commissioners for local purposes respectively, shall apply the several sums of money paid to them as aforesaid under this Act in and upon the construction of such new public works and improvements in and of the said several Presidency Towns and Stations, the said Towns and Suburbs, and the

said Districts or Divisions respectively, for which they shall have been appointed as aforesaid, as the local Government shall, from time to time, approve or direct.

2. The said Commissioners shall account for

And to account for application of such Duties according to Rules to be made by Government.

the application and expenditure of the said sums in and upon such new works and improvements, in such manner and at such times as the said local

Government shall appoint and direct, by any rules and orders made and passed by such Government with the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, and published in the *Gazette* of the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, Province, or Station, in or nearest to which the District or place, for which such Commissioners shall have been appointed and shall be acting, shall be situated.

PART XV.

Penalties.

CLXXI. If any person shall act as a Commissioner in relation to Schedule II (except in administering the oath prescribed in Section) or shall act as a

Penalty for Commissioners and Officers acting before taking oath.

Clerk to Commissioners, or as an Assessor, or as an Officer of Receipt in relation to the Duties in Schedule II, before he shall have

taken the oath hereby required to be taken by him, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500.

CLXXII. If any Commissioner, or any member of any panchayet appointed under this Act, or any person appointed to make any assessment under this Act, or if any Collector or Assessor under this

Penalty on Commissioner for vexatious or corrupt practices.

Act, shall knowingly or wilfully, through corruption, partiality, or favor, over-rate or under-rate, or omit to charge any person chargeable under this Act, or charge any person not chargeable under this Act, or shall be guilty of any corrupt, vexatious, or fraudulent practices, or of any extortion, or attempt to extort any money or valuable things in the execution of his office, or shall conduct himself with partiality or unfairness therein, such Commissioner, member of panchayet, or person so appointed to assess as aforesaid, and such Collector or Assessor shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, for every such offence, be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a period not exceeding one year, and to forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 1,000.

CLXXIII. Every Assessor or Assistant Assessor who shall wilfully, or without reasonable cause, neglect to appear before the Collectors or Commissioners of the District on any occasion on which he ought to appear under

Penalty for Assessors wilfully neglecting to appear before Collectors or Commissioners.

any of the provisions of this Act, or refuse to make such oath as herein in that behalf prescribed, or who shall, without reasonable cause, omit or neglect to return to the Collector the name of any person whose name ought to be included in any such list, as by this Act is required, shall forfeit for any such omission or neglect any sum not exceeding Rupees 200.

CLXXIV. If any Clerk to the Commissioners appointed under this Act shall wilfully delay or obstruct the execution of this Act, or shall wilfully misconduct or negligently conduct himself in the execution of this Act, he shall forfeit the sum of Rupees 200.

Penalty for Clerks for misconduct.

CLXXV. If any officer or person employed to receive or collect any Duties under this Act: 1st—Shall fraudulently collect or attempt to collect any money on account

Penalty for Collecting Officers for misconduct in Office.

of Duties under this Act from any person not charged therewith; or

2^{ndly}.—Shall fraudulently receive or collect, or attempt to receive or collect, from any person or persons more money than is actually charged against such person upon his assessment; or

3^{rdly}.—Shall receive or collect any money whatsoever under color of this Act, and not pay over and account for the whole of such money; or

4^{thly}.—Shall fraudulently alter any duplicate or warrant, or any memorandum or document mentioned in this Act, after the same has been delivered to him as aforesaid; or

5^{thly}.—If any such officer or any person employed or authorised to serve any notice, or to make any distress, attachment, or sale under this Act, shall extort or obtain, or attempt to extort or obtain, any sum of money or valuable thing other than such money as he shall have been authorised to receive or collect under this Act, from any person whatever, under color of his employment or authority, or as a bribe for forbearing to exercise any employment or authority under this Act, such

officer or person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a period not exceeding six months, and shall, for every such offence, forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 1,000, and shall also forfeit and refund or pay to the party aggrieved, if he shall have received any sum of money or valuable thing, double the amount, or double the value of the thing improperly received, or of the money received and not duly paid over as aforesaid, or in default, and until such refund or payment be made, shall be liable to further imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a period not exceeding six months.

CLXXVI. If any person, not being employed or authorised to serve any notice required to be given under this Act, or to receive or collect any money under this Act, shall falsely pretend that he is employed or authorised to

Penalty on persons pretending to be employed to serve notices or collect monies.

serve any notice, or to receive or collect any money under this Act, and shall, by such false pretence, obtain, or attempt to obtain, any money or valuable thing whatsoever from any person whatsoever, the person so offending shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to the punishment and penalties in the last preceding Section mentioned.

CLXXVII. Any person employed or pretending to be employed to make any distress under this Act, who shall knowingly enter the apartments of any Hindoo or Mahomedan woman, which, by the usage of the country, are deemed private, or shall force open the outer door of a dwelling-house, contrary to the provisions of the 13th Part of this Act, shall be liable to be imprisoned for any period not exceeding three months.

CLXXVIII. If any person shall forcibly or clandestinely take away any moveable property duly distrained under this Act, while subject to such distress, such person shall, on conviction, be liable to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding three months, or until he sooner restores the property, or makes good the value of it to the Distraining Officer, and shall also be liable to a fine not exceeding the value of such property.

CLXXIX. All complaints for any of the offences specified in any of the four last preceding Sections may be heard by any Magistrate, either of the District where the offence shall have been committed, or of the District where the offender shall be apprehended, or when such offence shall have been committed in any of the said Presidency Towns or Stations, or by any European British subject, by any Justice of the Peace of the place where the said offence shall have been committed, or of the place where the offender shall be apprehended.

CLXXX. If any person shall forge, counterfeit, or alter, or cause or procure to be forged, counterfeited, or altered, or knowingly or wilfully aid or assist in forging, counterfeiting, or altering any certificate of the Commissioners for general purposes, or of any other Commissioners, or of any Collector acting in the execution of this Act, or any certificate or receipt which any Officer is, by this Act,

Penalty for Forgery.

authorised to give on the receipt of any money payable under this Act, or shall utter any such forged, counterfeited, or altered certificate or receipt as aforesaid, with intent to defraud Her Majesty, or the Secretary of State in Council, or the Government, or any person whomsoever, every person so offending and being lawfully convicted thereof shall be adjudged guilty of felony, and shall be liable, if a European or American, to be sentenced to penal servitude for any period not less than five, or exceeding ten years, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for any term not exceeding two years, and, if not a European or American, to be sentenced to transportation for any period not less than seven or exceeding fourteen years, or to imprisonment with or without hard labor for any term not exceeding seven years.

CLXXXI. If any person, upon any examination on oath, or affirmation, or in any affidavit, deposition, or affirmation authorised by this Act, shall wilfully and corruptly give false evidence, or shall wilfully and corruptly swear or affirm any matter or thing which shall be false or untrue, every such person so offending, and being thereof duly convicted, shall be subject and liable to such pains and penalties as, by the law in force for the time being, persons convicted of wilful and corrupt perjury are subject and liable to.

CLXXXII. Any charge to be preferred under the last preceding Section for any of the offences therein mentioned, in regard to any affidavit, deposition, or affirmation, shall and may be laid, tried, and determined in the place where such affidavit, deposition, or affirmation shall be exhibited to the Commissioners in pursuance of this Act.

CLXXXIII. 1. If any person shall knowingly and wilfully make or deliver any false or fraudulent account, statement, or declaration of or concerning any profits or income chargeable under this Act, or of the yearly rent or value of any lands or houses or hereditaments, or of any matters or things affecting such rent or value, such person so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500, besides the increased Duties hereby made payable upon the increased assessment of such person.

2. And every person who shall knowingly and wilfully aid, abet, or assist, or incite or induce any other person to make or deliver any such false or fraudulent account, statement, or declaration as aforesaid, shall, for every such offence, forfeit the sum of Rupees 500.

CLXXXIV. If any person shall make any false claim for any abatement under the first Schedule of this Act, or shall be guilty of any fraud or misrepresentation in making such claim, or in obtaining or endeavouring to obtain, any such abatement, or shall untruly declare the amount or value of any loss under the Rules relating to Schedule I, or the amount or value of any abatement made or agreed to be made in the rent of the lands in his occupation on account of such loss, with intent fraudulently to obtain any such abatement, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500, and treble the amount

of Duties charged on him in respect of the said lands or houses; and if the occupier of any such lands or houses, or any other person whatever, shall aid, abet, or assist any person charged to the said Duties in making such false or fraudulent claim, or shall fraudulently or untruly declare the amount or value of any abatement made or agreed to be made in the rent of the said lands, or house, or the amount of such loss, with intent fraudulently to obtain for the person so charged any abatement as aforesaid, every such person shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500.

CLXXXV. If any person shall make any false claim to any abatement under the second, third, or fourth Schedule of the Act, or to any exemption or deduction under the 11th Part of this Act, or shall be guilty of any fraud or contrivance in making any claim under any of the said Schedules, or under the said 11th Part of this Act, or in obtaining any abatement, or any exemption or deduction, or any certificate as aforesaid, under any of the said Schedules, or the said 11th Part, or shall fraudulently conceal or untruly declare any income or amount of income, or any sum which he may have charged, or have been entitled, under the authority of this Act, to charge against any other person or which he may have deducted or retained, or have been or be entitled as aforesaid, to deduct or retain for or of any payment to which such person claiming exemption as aforesaid may be or become liable; or if any such person shall fraudulently make a second claim for the same cause, every such person so offending shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500, and treble the Duty chargeable in respect of all the sources of his income, as if such claim had not been made or allowed; and if any person shall knowingly and wilfully aid, abet, or assist any such person in committing any such fraud as aforesaid, the person so aiding, abetting, or assisting, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500.

CLXXXVI. Any person who shall be guilty of any offence mentioned in the 16th Rule of the 8th Part of this Act, in regard to the composition therein mentioned, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500.

CLXXXVII. If any person, being duly summoned to appear before the said Commissioners as aforesaid, for any of the purposes mentioned in the 4th Part of this Act, shall refuse or neglect to appear before the said Commissioners at the time and place to be appointed for that purpose, or if any such person being summoned shall appear before the said Commissioners, but shall refuse to be sworn or to subscribe such oath as aforesaid, or having taken and subscribed the same, shall refuse to answer any lawful question touching the matters depending before the said Commissioners, every person so offending shall forfeit any sum not exceeding Rupees 200.

CLXXXVIII. 1. If any person who ought by this Act to deliver any list, declaration, or statement, shall refuse or neglect so to do within the time limited in any notice, whether particular or general, given under this Act, or shall under any pretence wilfully delay the delivery thereof,

shall be liable to the same penalties as if he had refused or neglected to deliver the same.

2. Or if any person, required by any Commissioners under this Act to make out and deliver any Schedule, or to appear before the said Commissioners, or to verify any list, declaration, or statement by him delivered, shall refuse or neglect to make out or deliver such Schedule, or to appear before the said Commissioners, or to verify upon oath before them any statement or Schedule by him delivered, within the time limited by such Commissioners in pursuance of this Act, every such person so offending shall forfeit any sum not exceeding Rupees 200, (besides any double Duty with which he may be charged under Part IV of this Act,) but nevertheless subject to such stay of proceedings in the case of the delivery of a subsequent statement or Schedule to the satisfaction of the said Commissioners as in the 62nd Section of this Act provided.

3. Provided, always, that no person who shall not have been served with a particular notice as aforesaid, shall be liable to the penalties before mentioned, or either of them, for not delivering any statement, list, or declaration required by any general notice as aforesaid, if it shall appear to the Commissioner for executing that Act, on enquiry before them, that such person is entitled to be exempted from the payment of all and every the Duties hereby granted.

CLXXXIX. If any person shall wilfully obstruct any Assessor or Assessors or Receiving or Collecting Officer, or any Officer duly authorised in the execution of this Act, in the due execution of his said office or duty respectively, such person shall, for every such offence, forfeit a sum not exceeding Rupees 500.

CXC. 1. If any person, who ought to be charged with any Duties under this Act, shall, by fraudulently changing his place of residence, or by fraudulently converting his property or any part thereof or by fraudulently conveying or assigning, or pretending to convey or assign the same, or by fraudulently altering any security with relation to such property, or by fraudulently rendering the same or any part thereof temporarily unproductive, in order that such person may not be charged for the same, or by any falsehood, wilful neglect, fraud, or contrivance whatsoever used or practised, avoid or attempt to avoid being charged and assessed according to the true intent and meaning of this Act, every such person shall, on proof thereof before the Commissioners for General Purposes acting for the District wherein such person shall be chargeable, be charged and assessed in treble the amount of the charge which ought to have been made on such person if no such charge shall have been made.

2. And if any such charge shall have been made, which shall be less than the charge which ought to have been made on such person, such person shall be assessed and charged over and above such former charge in treble the amount of the difference between the sum with which such person shall have been charged and the sum with which he ought to have been charged, to be added to such assessment.

CXCI. If any person being assessed to the said Duties shall remove out of the District where he shall have been assessed to the said Duties without first paying or discharging all the said Duties charged upon him which shall then be due and payable, and without leaving in such District sufficient property wherein the said Duties in arrear may be raised and levied, and the same shall remain in arrear and unpaid for the space of twenty days after the time appointed by this Act for payment thereof, every such person shall forfeit (over and above the said Duties so left unpaid as aforesaid,) a sum not exceeding Rupees 200.

Mode of enforcing Penalties

CXCII. 1. Any person, whether a European British subject or not, who shall be guilty of any offence, for which, according to the provisions of this Act, he shall be liable to a forfeiture or fine only, shall be punishable for such offence by any Justice of the Peace for any of the Presidency Towns or of the said Stations, or by any Magistrate or person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, whether the offence shall have been committed within the local limits of the jurisdiction of such Officer or not.

2. Any person hereby made punishable by a Justice of the Peace shall be punishable upon summary conviction.

CXCIII. No conviction, order, or judgment of any Justice of the Peace shall be quashed on merits only—form of Conviction, &c. be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits; and it shall not be necessary to state on the face of the conviction, order, or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds, but the depositions taken, or a copy of them, shall be returned with the conviction, order, or judgment in obedience to any writ of *certiorari*, and if no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order, or judgment, but the depositions taken supply that defect, the conviction, order or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in such depositions.

CXCIV. A Magistrate may refer for trial and decision any charge of an offence hereby made punishable by fine only, to any of his Assistants, or to any Deputy Magistrate lawfully appointed to exercise the powers of a Covenanted Assistant, and in such case every such Assistant or Deputy Magistrate may exercise all the powers vested in a Magistrate, subject to all the rules applicable to criminal cases deputed to such Assistants or Deputy Magistrates acting judicially.

CXCV. 1. The Local Government may give general authority to any such Assistant or Deputy Magistrate to exercise, without reference by a Magistrate, any of the powers which they are hereby rendered competent to exercise upon reference by a Magistrate, subject to appeal to the Magistrate from any conviction by such Assistant or Deputy Magistrate within one month from the date of conviction.

2. Provided that a Magistrate may at any time call from any of his Assistants, or from any De-

puty Magistrate subordinate to him, any case pending before such Assistant & Deputy Magistrate.

CXCVI. 1. All forfeitures or penalties imposed under the authority of this Act for offences punishable by any Justice of the Peace, Magistrate, or person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, or Deputy Magistrate, may, in case of non-payment thereof, be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, by warrant under the hand of any of the above named Officers.

2. In case any such forfeitures or penalties shall not be forthwith paid, any such Officer may order the offender to be apprehended and detained in safe custody until the return can be conveniently made to such warrant of distress, unless the offender shall give security to the satisfaction of such Officer for his appearance at such place and time as shall be appointed for the return of the warrant of distress.

3. If upon the return of such warrant it shall appear that no sufficient distress can be had whereon to levy such fine, and the same shall not be forthwith paid, or in case it shall appear to the satisfaction of such Officer, by the confession of the offender or otherwise, that he has not sufficient goods and chattels whereupon such fine or sum of money could be levied if a warrant of distress were issued, any such Officer may, by warrant under his hand, commit the offender to prison, there to be imprisoned only, or to be imprisoned and kept to hard labor, according to the discretion of such Officer, for any term not exceeding two calendar months when the amount of fine shall not exceed Rupees 50, and for any term not exceeding four calendar months when the amount shall not exceed Rupees 100, and for any term not exceeding six calendar months in any other case, the commitment to be determinable in each of the cases aforesaid on payment of the amount.

CXCVII. 1. All forfeitures or penalties not exceeding Rupees 200, imposed by this Act, exclusive of any increased Duties chargeable under this Act, may be recovered before two or more Commissioners for General Purposes, in and for the District wherein the said offence shall have been committed, or the offender shall have been assessed; and also such of the penalties exceeding Rupees 200 as consist of any increased Duties, or of any sums which are hereby directed to be added to the assessment of the Duties, shall be so recoverable.

2. Such Commissioners shall take cognizance of such offence upon information or complaint in writing made to them, and upon a summons to the party accused to appear before the said Commissioners at such time and place as they shall fix or without such summons, in case the party shall have been charged before the said Commissioners upon any appeal, objection, or surcharge as aforesaid, with increased Duties in respect of the matter complained of, and shall have appeared upon such appeal, objection, or surcharge before the said Commissioners.

3. Such Commissioners shall examine into the matter of fact and proceed to hear and determine the same in a summary way, and upon proof made thereof, either by voluntary confession of the

party accused, or by the oath or solemn affirmation of one or more credible witness or witnesses or otherwise, as the case may require, to give judgment for the penalty, or if the said Commissioners shall think proper to mitigate the same for such part of the penalty as they shall direct.

4. In such case the said Commissioners shall assess the same upon the party, and charge the same in the assessment to which the penalty adjudged shall particularly relate, and in addition to the Duties in case the party shall be charged therewith.

5. The forfeitures or penalties so adjudged shall be levied in like manner as the said Duties.

6. The informer shall, in all such cases, upon the Commissioners certifying that he has conducted himself properly in regard to such information, be entitled to receive one moiety of the amount of such penalties, or such shares when more than one informer are concerned, as the Commissioners for executing this Act shall certify they are respectively entitled unto.

7. The adjudication of the Commissioners shall be final and conclusive to all intents and purposes, without power of appealing from the same, and the proceedings of the Commissioners shall not be removable by any process whatever into any Court of Law or Equity, or be subject to revision.

CXCVIII. In all cases where any pecuniary penalty or forfeiture, other than such increased Duties as may be disposed of otherwise than under the last preceding Section, it shall be lawful for the Chief Revenue Authority of the Division to cause such reward as they shall think fit not exceeding one moiety of such penalty, or forfeiture so recovered, after deducting all charges and expenses incurred in recovering the same, to be paid thereout to or amongst any person or persons who shall appear to them entitled thereto as informer or informers, in respect of such penalties or forfeitures so recovered.

CXCIX. In any proceeding, for the recovery of any such Duties or penalties respectively granted or imposed by this Act, such Duties and penalties respectively shall be recoverable with full costs of suit, and all charges and expenses attending the same.

CC. Whenever by this Act any increased rate of Duty is imposed as a penalty, or as part of, or in addition to, any penalty, such increased rate of Duty may be added to the assessment, and be collected and levied in like manner as any Duties included in such assessment may be collected and levied.

CCI. All penalties, forfeitures and fines levied under this Act, after deducting any portion thereof hereby authorized to be paid as aforesaid, shall be paid to the account to be headed Income Tax Account, in the Section of this Act mentioned, and shall be held available for the purposes of this Act.

PART XVI.

Miscellaneous.

CCII. Every provision in this Act contained and applied to the Duties in any particular Schedule, which shall also be applicable to the Duties in any other Schedule, and not repugnant to the provisions for ascertaining or charging the Duties in such other Schedule, shall, in ascertaining and charging the same, be applied, as fully and effectually as if the application thereof had been so expressly and particularly directed.

CCIII. The Forms and Rules and Direction contained in the Schedule marked VIII shall, in making returns of the amount of annual value or profits on which any Duty is chargeable under this Act, so far as the same are respectively applicable to the case of each person or company chargeable under this Act on behalf of himself, and also of others for whom he may act in any of the characters described in this Act, be observed by such person or company, or by his or its agents or officers in the cases where such agents or officers are authorised to make such returns.

CCIV. 1. It shall be lawful for the Governor-General of India in Council, from time to time, to approve of and issue forms of any notices, or of any lists, statements, or declarations; or of any Schedules or returns, or of any oaths or affirmations to be delivered, made, returned, or taken respectively; or of any proceedings to be taken or had under the authority of this Act; and to vary or alter the same from time to time.

2. Such forms shall be published at least three times in the *Government Gazette* of the several Presidency Towns aforesaid, and of all places in India at which any *Government Gazette* shall be published.

3. When they shall have been so published, and until they shall be altered, varied, or annulled by any subsequent order of the Government, the said forms shall be observed by all persons required by this Act to do the matters referred to in such forms, and all notices given, and all lists, statements, or declarations made, and all Schedules or returns returned or filed, and all oaths or affirmations taken or made, and all proceedings had according to such forms respectively, shall, if otherwise valid, be deemed valid and effectual.

CCV. It shall be lawful for the Governor-General of India in Council, from time to time, to allow from r n' of the Duties collected under this Act any salaries or any remuneration, whether by way of fixed fees or of percentage on sums realised or otherwise, to any officer or person who shall be appointed under this Act for the performance of any of the Duties prescribed by this Act.

CCVI. The following words and expressions in this Act shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such meanings:—

1. Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number, and words im-

porting the plural number shall include the singular number; words importing the masculine gender shall include females.

2. The word "India" shall mean the Territories which, at the time of the passing of an Act of the Imperial Parliament, called an Act for the better government of India in the 22nd year of Her Majesty's Beign, (21 and 22 Victoria, Chap. 106,) were in the possession or under the Government of the East India Company, and which, under and by virtue of that Act, have been and are vested in Her Majesty.

3. The expression "Governor-General in Council" shall include the President of the Council of the Governor-General of India in Council.

4. The words "Local Government" shall mean the persons immediately administering the Executive Government in each Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province in India.

5. The expression "Lieutenant-Governorship" shall mean any part of India for the time being under the government or administration of any Lieutenant-Governor appointed under, or by virtue of any Act of the Imperial Parliament relating to India.

6. The word "Division" shall mean any Division of, or for the purposes of, Revenue.

7. The expression "Chief Revenue Authority" shall mean the person or Board exercising the chief authority for the time being in matters of revenue alone in any Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province; though subject to the order of the Local Government—and shall not include the Local Government. When in any Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship or Province, there shall be no person exercising such Chief Revenue Authority throughout such Province, other than the person administering the executive Government, the expression shall mean the person or Board exercising chief authority in matters of revenue in any Division of such Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province.

8. The word "Collector" shall include any Officer exercising, by authority of Government, the duties of a Collector of Revenue, by whatever name his office may be designated.

9. The word "Magistrate" shall include an Assistant Magistrate, or any person duly invested with the powers of a Magistrate. It shall not include Justice of the Peace.

10. The expression "Justice of the Peace" when applied to any of the Presidency Towns, or any of the Stations of the Settlements of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca, shall include a Magistrate of Police appointed under Act XIII of 1856.

11. The word "Land" shall include and extend to all immoveable property, and all hereditaments and tenements whatsoever, whether corporeal or incorporeal, of the nature of immoveable property, except houses, and all estates or interests therein, whether freehold or chattel, or held by lease, or howsoever otherwise, or whether partial or derivative or otherwise, and whether divided or undivided shares.

12. The word "House" shall include and extend to all messuages and buildings used for the purpose of habitation; and all warehouses, factories, and shops, and to all out-houses, offices, godowns, and buildings attached to, or used with, or for the purposes of such messuages, buildings, warehouses, factories, or shops.

13. The word "Rack-rent" shall mean the full rent or value at which lands or houses are worth to be left for the year.

14. The word "Owner," as applied to land or houses, shall include any person beneficially entitled in possession to an absolute estate, or to any lesser estate, whether freehold or chattel, or partial or derivative, or otherwise, at law or in equity; or any person entitled to any such estate in trust for another person.

15. The word "Holder," as applied to land or houses, shall include any person in possession or in the receipt of the rents and profits of land or houses under any claim to be entitled to any estate, whether freehold or chattel, partial or derivative, or otherwise, at law or in equity: and whether on his account or on account of any other person.

16. The word "Person" shall include any Corporation.

17. The word "Representatives" shall extend to any person who is a legal representative of a person deceased, and shall include, in the case of a deceased person, subject to the Law of England, the heirs or devisees of such a person, in regard to real estate, and the executors or administrators of such person in regard to personal estate; and in the case of a deceased Mahomedan or Hindoo, the heirs and persons legally entitled to succeed to the property of such person.

It shall also include the successors of a Corporation.

18. The word "Company" shall extend to any Society, Association, Fraternity, or Partnership of any kind whatever, of or carried on by more than six persons.

19. The word "Trade" shall include any manufacture, and any business, adventure, or concern in the nature of a trade.

20. The word "Profession" shall extend to any employment, vocation, or calling, other than a trade.

21. The word "Profits" shall include gains of every kind.

22. The word "Lunatic" shall include every person of unsound mind, and, every person being an idiot.

23. The word "Oath" shall include an affirmation in the case of any person entitled by law to make any affirmation in lieu of any oath on affidavit.

CCVII. This Act shall commence and take effect on the 1st day of May 1860, and together with the Duties therein contained, shall continue in force until the 1st day of May 1865, and no longer.

Provided, always, that this Act and the said Duties shall not then cease with respect to any assessment which ought to have been made before the said last-mentioned day, but which shall not then have been made and completed; nor with respect to any of the said Duties which shall have been assessed and shall then remain unpaid; nor with respect to any penalty before then incurred; nor with respect to any deduction of the said Duties, or any portion thereof, authorised by Law, to be made out of any rent, interest, or other annual payment which shall become due or payable before the said last-mentioned day; nor with respect to any penalty for refusing to allow any such deduction, although such refusal may be after the said last-mentioned day; nor shall the said Duties cease in any case where the assessments

for the preceding year shall not have been completed before the said 1st of May 1865.

But all the powers and provisions of this Act shall continue in force, for making and completing all such assessments as aforesaid, and for levying and recovering the Duties so assessed or to be assessed, and all arrears of such Duties, and also for re-assessing the same in default of payment in the manner herein directed, and for making and allowing such deduction as aforesaid, and for the suing for, adjudging, and recovering any penalty which shall have been or may be incurred.

Form of Contract of Composition.

Whereas an assessment of the Duties on profits and gains, chargeable under Schedules I and II, (or Schedule II,) as the case may be, of Act No. of 1860, hath been duly made by two of the Commissioners for () purposes, acting in the execution of the said Act, upon A B of in the sum of for the year ending on the day of 186 and the said A B is desirous of compounding for the said Duties, as allowed by the said Act, for the term hereinafter mentioned;

We, the undersigned, two of the Commissioners for purposes, acting in the execution of the said Act, have, by virtue and in pursuance of the power and authority thereby given to us in this behalf, contracted and agreed with the said A B for a composition for the said Duties chargeable, or which may become chargeable upon him under the said Schedules I and II (or Schedule II,) during the term of , to be computed from the

day of and the following are the terms of such composition, that is to say—

The said A B, his heirs, executors, or administrators shall will and truly pay to for the purpose of Act of 1860, in each and every year of the said term the sum of , being the amount of the said assessment, together with an addition thereto, at and after the rate of for every of the sum assessed as aforesaid, by four equal quarterly instalments, viz.:—First instalment, on or before the day of , Second instalment, on or before the day of , Third instalment, on or before the day of , Fourth instalment, on or before the day of

in each and every year of the term aforesaid. Provided always, that the instalments, now due and payable according to the tenor of this contract, shall be paid, together with the instalment, on or before the day of next ensuing.

Dated this day of (Signed)

Witness

Commissioners.

SCHEDULE V.

Form of an Oath or Affirmation to be taken by the Commissioners for the General Purposes of this Act; by the Commissioners for Special Purposes; by the Collector, and by the Members of a Panchayat or other persons appointed under the 11th Part of this Act to make assessments; acting in the execution of this Act, in respect of the Duties contained in Schedule II.

I, A B, do swear solemnly (or affirm, as the case may be,) as follows:—

1. I will truly, faithfully, impartially, and honestly, according to the best of my skill and knowledge, execute the powers and authorities vested in me as a Commissioner, &c., in respect of Duties in Schedule II. may be, by Act No. of

1800, for imposing Duties on profits arising from property, profession, and trades.

2. I will exercise the powers entrusted to me by the said Act in such manner only as shall appear to me necessary for the due execution of the same, and I will judge and determine upon all matters and things which shall be brought before me under the said Act without favor, affection, or malice.

3. I will not disclose any particular contained in any Schedule or Statement delivered with respect to any Duties charged under the provisions and Regulations relating to Schedule II. of the said Act, or any evidence or answers given by any person who shall be examined, or shall make affidavit, deposition, or affirmation respecting the same, in pursuance of the said Act, excepting in such cases and to such persons only who shall be sworn to the due execution of this Act, and where it shall be necessary to disclose the same for the purpose of the said Act, or to the Chief Revenue Authority of (name the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province within which the Commissioners or persons taking the oath have been appointed to act) to or in the course of a prosecution for perjury committed in such examination, affidavit, deposition, or affirmation.

II. Form of Oath or Affirmation to be taken by an Assessor as aforesaid.

I (A B) do swear (or affirm) as follows:—

1. In the execution of Act No. _____ of 1800 for,

I will, in all respects, act and perform the duties of an Assessor diligently, honestly, and without favor, affection, or malice, to the best of my knowledge, belief, and abilities.

2. I will exercise the powers entrusted to me by the said Act in such manner only as shall appear to me to be necessary for the due execution of the same, or as I shall be directed by the Collectors of the District, or by the Chief Revenue Authority of (name the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province within which the Commissioners or persons taking the oath have been appointed to act).

3. I will not disclose any particular contained in any Statement or Schedule, with respect to any Duties charged under the provisions and Regulations relating to Schedule II. of the said Act, or any evidence or answer given by any person who shall be examined, or shall make affidavit, deposition, or affirmation respecting the same in pursuance of the said Act, except in such cases and to such persons only who shall be sworn to the due execution of the said Act, and where it shall be necessary to disclose the same for the purposes of the said Act, or to the Commissioners of Stamps and Taxes, or in order to, or in the course of a prosecution for perjury committed in such examination, affidavit, deposition, or affirmation.

III. Form of Oath or Affirmation to be taken by the Collecting Officer and Officer for Receipt.

1. I, A B, do swear (or affirm), in the execution of Act _____ of 1800, I will diligently and faithfully execute the office of (Collecting Officer) or (Officer for Receipt) to the best of my knowledge and ability.

2. I will not disclose any assessment, or the amount of any sum paid, or to be paid, by any individual under the said Act, or the accounts or memoranda of assessment which shall be delivered to me in the execution of the said Act, with respect to any Duties charged under the provisions and Regulations relating to Schedule II. of the said Act, except in such cases and to such persons only who shall be sworn to the due execution of the said Act, and where it shall be necessary to disclose the same for the purpose of the said Act, or to the Commissioners of Stamps and Taxes, or in order to, or in the course of prosecutions for perjury committed in relation to the said Duties.

IV. Form of Oath or Affirmation to be taken by a Clerk to the Commissioners aforesaid.

I, A B, do swear (or affirm) as follows:—

1. I will diligently and faithfully execute the office of a Clerk to the Commissioners for General Purposes according to Act _____ of 1800, to the best of my knowledge and judgment.

2. I will not disclose any particulars contained in any Statement, Declaration, or Schedule with respect to the Duties charged under the provisions and Regulations relating to Schedule II. of the said Act, or any evidence or answer given by any person who shall be examined, or that make affidavit, deposition, or affirmation respecting the same, except in such cases and to such persons only who shall be sworn to the due execution of the said Act, and where I shall be directed so to do by the Regulations of the said Act, or any two or more of the Commissioners under whom I act, or of the Chief Revenue Authority of the Presidency, Lieutenant-Governorship, or Province, or in order to aid in the course of a prosecution for perjury committed on such examination, affidavit, deposition, or affirmation.

SCHEDULE VI.

Statements and Declarations.

I. By every owner or holder of lands or houses, tenements or hereditaments, throughout India, to be charged under Schedules I and II.

A statement of the rent and annual value, or the annual value and profits, as the case shall require, derived during the preceding years, all lands, houses, tenements, and hereditaments owned or held in every District, distinguishing the proportions in each District, and estimating separately such as are occupied as owner or tenant, and also such as are held under different landlords, and also such as are chargeable by the rent or annual value, or on the amount of profits, distinguishing the same as follows, viz:—

1. Lands, houses and tenements occupied as owner. Lands, houses, and tenements let at rack-rent. Lands and tenements let, but not at rack-rent, with the rent and annual value thereof estimated separately.

The amount of annual revenue paid to the Government in respect of such lands, houses, and tenements.

The amount of any putnee, or other rent or jumma, payable by such owner or holder to any other person.

The amount of each deduction claimed in respect thereof.

II. By every person, Corporation, or Company carrying on any concern hereinafter mentioned, or their agents or officers, the amount of profits in the preceding year—

(1). Quarries of stone, or limestone, and other quarries.

(2). From iron works, salt springs or works, water-works, streams of water, canals, inland navigation, docks, drains, fisheries or fishings, rights of markets and fairs, forest rights, tolls, railways and other ways, bridges and ferries, and all rights appertaining to the land, or the ownership thereof, and not herein particularly specified.

(3). From mines of coal, tin, lead, copper, iron, and other mines.

III. By every person who shall receive any fine, bonus, or premium paid in commutation of a lease or agreement for a lease of lands, houses, or tenements—

The amount of such fines in the preceding year.

IV. By every person entitled to profits arising from lands, houses, tenements and hereditaments, not before expressly stated, and profits to be charged under Schedule I—

The amount realised during the preceding year.

The amount on a fair average, to be allowed by the respective Commissioners.

V. By or for every person carrying on any trade, manufacture, adventure, or concern, in the nature of trade, to be charged under Schedule II.

The amount of the balance of the profits thereof for the preceding year.

VI. By every person exercising any profession, employment, or vocation to be charged under Schedule II—

The amount of the balance of the profits, gains and emoluments thereof within the preceding year.

VII. By every person entitled to profits of an uncertain value, not before stated, to be charged under Schedule II—

The full amount of the profits or gains arising therefrom within the preceding year.

VIII. By every person receiving in India interest from Securities out of India, to be charged under Schedule II—

The full amount that has been received, or will be received, as far as the same can be computed in the current year.

IX. By every person receiving in India profits from possessions out of India, to be charged under Schedule II—

The full net amount annually received therefrom, either by reittances, or importation of property, or money, or value from property not imported, or on credit or on account in respect of reittances, property or value during the preceding years.

X. By every person entitled to any annual profits, not falling under any of the foregoing Rules, and not charged by any of the other Schedules, to be charged under Schedule II—

The full amount thereof received during the preceding year.

XI. Declarations to be delivered in respect of the Duty to be charged under Schedule IV.

First.—Declaration by the precedent acting partners, or by the agent, if none of the partners are resident in the British Territories in India, of the names of the several partners, their respective residences, and the place of carrying on the trade or concern, or exercising the profession, and the style or description of the firm.

Second.—Declaration by any partners, not being the precedent acting partner, of his being assessed, with the firm, describing the same, and the place where the return of the precedent partner was made.

Third.—Declaration which may be made by each partner desirous of being, and entitled to be, separately assessed, describing the firm and his proportion of the profits.

XII. Statement of profits of any office not chargeable by Commissioners specially appointed in the Department where the office is held—

The amount of the salary, fees, wages, perquisites, and profits of office in the preceding year.

The like statement to be delivered to the Commissioners appointed in the Department, if required.

XIII. General declaration by each person returning a statement of profits under Schedules I, II, or IV. Declaring the truth thereof, and that the same is fully stated on every description of property or profits included in the Act relating to the said Duties, and appertaining to the party, estimated to the best of his judgment and belief, according to the directions and rules of this Act.

XIV. List and declaration for facilitating the execution of the Act in relation to the Duties chargeable on others—

First.—List containing the name of every lodger or inmate in any dwelling-house with the ordinary place of residence of such lodger or inmate, if he shall have any ordinary place of residence elsewhere, at which he is desirous of being assessed.

Second.—List of every person, not being a menial servant, in the service or employ of any master or mistress, whether resident in his or her dwelling-house or not, and the place of residence of those not residing with the master or mistress.

Third.—List to be delivered by every trustee, factor, agent, receiver, guardian, tutor, curator, or committee, of the name and place of residence of the person for whom they act in such character, describing him and the names of them who are joined in trust.

Fourth.—Declaration on whom the Duty is chargeable in respect of such trust.

Fifth.—List containing the proper description of every Corporation, Company, Fraternity, Fellowship, Society, or trust for which any person is answerable as Registrar, Office, Secretary, Manager, or Treasurer, and where any person, before described, is answerable for the Duty to be charged in respect of the property or profits of others, such lists as aforesaid shall be delivered, together with required statements of such profits.

XV. Lists, declarations, and statements of discharge, or in order to obtain exemptions—

First.—Declaration of the amount of value, or property, or profits returned, or for which the claimant hath been, or is liable to be assessed.

Second.—Declaration of the amount of rents, interest, annuities, or other annual payments for which the party is liable to allow and deduct the Duty, with the names of the respective persons by whom such payments are to be made, distinguishing the amount of each payment.

Third.—Declaration of the amount of interest, annuities, or other annual payments to be made out of the property or profits assessed on the claimant, distinguishing each source.

Fourth.—Statement of the amount of income derived according to the three preceding declarations.

Fifth.—Statement of any payment which the claimant may be liable to make, and out of which he may be entitled to deduct or retain any portion of the Duty charged upon him, and of any charge which he may be entitled to make against any other person for any portion of such Duty.

SCHEDULE VII.

Table of Fees payable on Distraints or Attachments under this Act.

Sum distrained for.		Fees.	
		Rs.	As.
Under 5 Rupees	...	0	8
5 and under 10 Rupees	...	1	0
10 " 15 "	...	1	8
15 " 20 "	...	2	0
20 " 25 "	...	2	8
25 " 30 "	...	3	0
30 " 35 "	...	3	8
35 " 40 "	...	4	0
40 " 45 "	...	4	8
45 " 50 "	...	5	0
50 " 60 "	...	6	0
60 " 80 "	...	7	8
80 " 100 "	...	9	0
Above 100 "	...	10	0

The above charge includes all expenses, except when peons are kept in charge of property distrained, in which case four annas must be paid daily for each man.

M. WILKINSON,
Clerk of the Courts.

THE 21ST APRIL 1860.

THE following Bill was read a second time in the Legislative Council of India on the 21st April 1860, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon (under a suspension of the Standing Orders) after one month :—

A Bill for the establishment and maintenance of Boundary Marks, and for facilitating the settlement of Boundary Disputes in the Presidency of Fort Saint George.

WHEREAS it is desirable, with a view to the better definition and security of landed property, the prevention of encroachments and disputes, and the identification of lands assessed to, or exempted from, the public revenue in the Presidency of Fort Saint George, that provision should be made for the establishment and maintenance of permanent marks to distinguish the boundaries of fields, holdings, estates, and villages, and for facilitating the settlement of Boundary disputes and claims; It is enacted as follows :—

Repeal of Act XX of 1855. I. Act XX of 1855 is hereby repealed.

II. It shall be lawful within the said Presidency for a Collector of Land Revenue, or person exercising the powers of Collector, or for any Revenue Settlement Officer, and also for any other Officer appointed by the Government for the purpose, whenever he may be of opinion that such demarcation is necessary for the prevention or adjustment of disputes (or for conducting and perpetuating a survey or a settlement of land revenue), to fix the boundaries of fields, holdings, estates, or villages, and to require the owner or occupant of the field, holding, or estate, or the headman (by whatever name designated) of the village, to clear the boundary line where overgrown with jungle, and also to set up, form, and maintain Boundary marks, of such materials, and in such number and manner, as may be determined by such Officer under the direction of the Board of Revenue, or of the Director of Revenue Settlement, as the case may be, to be sufficient to distinguish the limits of the field, holding, estate, or village.

III. It shall further be lawful for such Officer aforesaid to call upon the owners or occupants of lands about to be surveyed, and also on all persons claiming to have any rights or interests in such lands, to register the rights and titles exercised or claimed by them in the lands, and to produce before him for inspection and registry all grants, title deeds, and other documents, connected with their claims.

IV. Any occupant or owner of land or other person whose attendance may be considered necessary for the purposes of this Act, who, on being summoned by such Officer aforesaid, shall refuse or fail to attend at the demarcation, measurement, or assessment of his field, holding, or estate, or for the determining and marking the

village boundary, or for the investigation and registry of his rights and claims in relation to such holding, estate, or property, or for the investigation and determination of any boundary—and any person who shall wilfully make any false statement, or shall wilfully refuse or neglect when called upon to give any information in his power with respect to a boundary under enquiry—shall be liable, by order of such Officer aforesaid, to a fine not exceeding fifty Rupees, to be levied by warrant under the hand of the Officer imposing it, in the same manner as a fine imposed by a Magistrate for a misdemeanour, and with a like alternative of imprisonment in default, as defined in Act II of 1839.

V. When a survey is in progress, notices shall be served on the persons owning or occupying the fields, holdings, estates, or villages concerned, requiring them to clear the boundaries, and to set up, form, or repair, or to render such aid and labor as may be necessary to form or repair under the supervision of the Government Officers, such boundary marks as may be required, within a reasonable time; and in the event of such persons not being found in their village, the notice shall be posted in a conspicuous place in the village, which shall be held to be a sufficient service, notwithstanding it may afterwards appear that the owners or occupants were not correctly named or designated in the said notice.

VI. In default of the owners or occupants of the fields, holdings, estates, or villages complying with such requisition, the said Officer may give directions for the erection and repair of the necessary Boundary marks, the cost of which shall be equitably apportioned on the fields, holdings, estates, or villages which they serve to distinguish, and shall be charged to the persons possessing a right of ownership or occupancy in such fields, holdings, estates, or villages in such manner as such Officer aforesaid may consider just, and shall be levied in the same manner as arrears of land revenue.

VII. Whenever such owners or occupants of any fields, villages, holdings, or estates, may generally signify their wish for the Boundary marks to be erected on the part of Government and the cost to be charged to them, or where in arrangements for the demarcation of the general survey of a village, estate, talook, or district, it may appear to such Officer aforesaid to be desirable to undertake the demarcation of lands under a uniform system by the Officers of Government, the Officer aforesaid may proceed without the previous notice prescribed in Section V to the clearing of boundaries, and the erection and repair of the Boundary marks, and may recover the cost of the same if unpaid in the manner described in Section VI.

VIII. In the case of unoccupied fields, and of extensive hills and jungles in Government lands, the cost of marks for such fields, hills, and jungles, shall be charged to Government.

IX. Any person convicted before a Magistrate or person exercising Magisterial powers of wilfully and without lawful excuse erasing, altering, removing, or injuring any Boundary marks whatsoever, whether established under this Act or otherwise existing, or any survey or other marks, or any marks set up for the purpose of the investigation or adjudication of disputes by an Officer of Government or any person acting under his orders, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty Rupees for each mark so erased, removed, or injured, of which fine a portion not exceeding one-half may be awarded to the informer, and the remainder shall be chargeable with the cost of restoring the mark; the fine to be levied in the mode prescribed above in Section VI.

Provided. Provided always that a Magisterial Officer shall have power to impose a fine under this Clause only to the amount to which he is competent to fine in misdemeanors under his general powers. Whenever it may not be impossible to detect the person who

Costs how to be recovered when offender is not known or unable to pay the fine. erased, altered, removed, or injured such boundary or survey marks, the Officer as aforesaid may give directions for the restoration or repair of the marks, and may order the cost thereof to be charged to the owners or occupants of the adjacent lands in such shares as may appear to him proper, or apportioned among the Ryots of the village in proportion to their land assessment as he may consider just and equitable, the same to be levied in the manner prescribed above in Section V.

X. If the parties interested in boundaries under dispute are desirous that the matter shall be referred to the final decision of one or more arbitrators, they may apply in writing to the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid either in person or by their agents especially authorized on their behalf, and the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid shall proceed to dispose of the case as hereafter provided.

XI. The arbitrator or arbitrators shall be nominated by the parties in such manner as may be agreed upon between them. If the parties cannot agree with respect to the nomination of the arbitrator or arbitrators, or if the person or persons nominated by them shall refuse to accept the arbitration, and the parties are desirous that the nomination shall be made by the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid, such Officer shall appoint the arbitrator or arbitrators.

XII. Where an equal number of arbitrators shall be appointed on each side they shall collectively appoint another arbitrator to act with them, or in the event of their not agreeing or failing to appoint such further arbitrator, he shall be appointed by the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid—and in all matters the majority shall rule the decision.

XIII. The Settlement or other Officer aforesaid shall, by an order under his signature, refer to the arbitrator or arbitrators the matters in dispute, which he or they may be required to determine, and shall fix such time as he may think reasonable for

the delivery of the award, the time so fixed being specified in the order.

XIV. When a reference is made to arbitration by an order of the Settlement or other Officer, such Officer shall furnish the arbitrators, or so far as may be in his power procure for them, any information which his records or those of any public department may afford connected with the subject of enquiry. He shall, on the application of the arbitrators, summon any witnesses whom the arbitrators may call for, and whom the parties may not be able to produce before them without such process, and require the person so summoned to bring and produce before them all such books, papers, deeds, writings, maps, and plans as they shall require. Persons so summoned shall be subject to all the provisions of the laws in force regarding persons summoned as witnesses before the Collector when acting judicially.

XV. When the arbitrator or arbitrators shall not have been able to complete the award within the period specified in the order from the want of the necessary evidence or information or other good and sufficient cause, the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid may enlarge the period for the delivery of the award, if he shall think proper. Provided that an award shall not be liable to be set aside only by reason of its not having been completed within the period allowed by the Settlement or such other Officer aforesaid, unless the award shall have been made after the issue of an order by the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid superseding the arbitration and revoking the institution of the enquiry.

XVI. If, in any case of reference to arbitration by an order of the Settlement or other Officer, the arbitrator or arbitrators shall die, or refuse, or become incapable to act, it shall be lawful for the Settlement or other Officer to appoint a new arbitrator or arbitrators in the place of the person or persons so dying, or refusing or becoming incapable to act.

XVII. When an award in any matter referred to arbitration shall be made, it shall be submitted to the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid under the signature of the person or persons by whom it may be made, together with all the proceedings, depositions, and other records, or authenticated copies thereof relating to the matter.

XVIII. The Settlement or other Officer may, on the application of either party, modify or correct an award where it appears that a part of the award is upon matters not referred to the arbitrators, provided such part can be separated from the other part and does not affect the decision on the matter referred; or where the award is imperfect in form or contains any obvious error which can be amended without affecting such decision.

XIX. In any of the following cases the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid

In what cases Settlement Officer may remit the award or any of the matters referred to arbitration, for re-consideration.

shall have power to remit the award or any of the matters referred to arbitration, to the re-consideration of the same arbitrator or arbitrators upon such terms as he may think proper :

(that is to say) —

If the award has left undetermined some of the matters referred to arbitration, or if it determine matters not referred to arbitration ;

If the award is so indefinite as to be incapable of execution ;

If an objection to the legality of the award is apparent upon the face of the award.

XX. No award shall be liable to be set aside

Award not to be set aside except on ground of corruption. Application to set aside the award.

except on the ground of corruption or misconduct of the arbitrators. Any application to set aside an award, shall be made within ten days after the same has been submitted to the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid.

XXI. If the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid

Boundary to be marked out according to award.

shall not see cause to remit the award or any of the matters referred to arbitration for re-consideration in the manner

aforesaid, and if no application shall have been made to set aside the award, or if the Settlement or other Officer as aforesaid shall have refused such application, the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid shall proceed to pass a decision according to the award, and after duly furnishing the parties with a copy thereof, he shall proceed to mark out the boundary in accordance therewith, subject to the provisions contained in this Act. In every case the decision given according to the award shall be final.

XXII. Where the claims and disputes relate

Reference to arbitration of claims and disputes regarding occupancy by Ryots of Zemindary lands, &c.

to the occupancy of Ryots of Zemindary and Proprietary lands, the consent in writing of the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid on behalf of Government and of the Zemindars

or Proprietors interested, shall be necessary for referring the disposal of such claims and disputes to arbitration, and the question of the disputed extent of such Zemindary estate shall be determined as between the Zemindar or Proprietor on one part, and the Government on the other, the Government being represented by the Collector, Settlement or other Officer aforesaid.

XXIII. The Settlement or other Officer aforesaid

Settlement Officer not incompetent to act as arbitrator.

shall not be considered incompetent by virtue of his office to undertake the duty of an arbitrator in cases in which the

conflicting parties may be desirous to nominate him as such.

XXIV. A certified copy of every decision

A certified copy of every decision passed in accordance with an award, to be filed in the District Court.

passed in accordance with the award of arbitrators under this Act by such Officer aforesaid shall be forwarded by him to the Civil Court and be filed on its records.

XXV. Where the conflicting parties may not

Procedure when parties do not agree to refer their dispute to arbitration, &c.

signify their agreement to refer the dispute to the final decision of arbitrators, or where any of the parties interested or concerned shall after due notice

fail to attend for the investigation of the same, the Settlement or other Officer aforesaid shall proceed to investigate the claims, and in the case of any party failing to attend as aforesaid, shall make an *ex parte* investigation and after examination of the witnesses and documents shall record his decision, and the grounds for arriving at it, and after duly informing the parties of the same, he shall proceed to mark out the requisite boundaries in accordance with the decision, which, subject to the revision of the authority to whom the said Officer is immediately subordinate, shall be considered as the determination of all claims and disputes until set aside by a formal decree of a Civil Court. An appeal shall lie to the Civil Courts from this decision by regular suit, provided it be preferred within two calendar months from the passing of the same. Provided also that

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it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council on just and reasonable cause for the same being shown, to extend the period for such appeal within such further period as may seem proper, and an order or endorsement under the signature of one of the Secretaries to Government shall be sufficient authority for the Civil Court to entertain such appeal beyond the limit above specified.

XXVI. The proceedings of Officers imposing

Proceedings of Officers imposing charges or fines.

charges or fines other than Magisterial, under Sections IV, V, VII, IX, and XIV of this

Act, shall be recorded in writing, and shall be subject to revision by the authorities to whom such Officers shall be immediately subordinate. An appeal shall also lie to the Board of Revenue or to the Director of Revenue Settlement, according to the Department to which the Officer imposing the charge or fine may belong.

XXVII. All fines levied under this Act

Appropriation of fines.

shall be carried to the credit of Government except when otherwise provided.

XXVIII. It shall be lawful for all Officers of

Officers empowered to enter and examine private lands.

Survey and Assessment, Revenue Officers, or other persons appointed by the Government

for the purpose of investigating, settling, or marking boundaries of fields, holdings, villages, and estates or measuring and assessing the same, and for all persons acting in aid and under orders of such Officers, whenever it may be necessary in the performance of their duty—to enter, examine, or measure, without let or hindrance, all lands whatever, whether such lands be the property of Government or of private Companies or individuals ; and such Officers aforesaid, as well as workmen or other persons acting in aid of and under their orders, are hereby indemnified for what they or any of them shall do under the provisions of this Act.

XXIX. If any person shall obstruct, molest,

Punishment for obstructing Officers, &c.

or in any way interfere with any public servant conducting the demarcation, measurement,

or assessment of lands, or performing other duties provided for in this Act, such person shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, or person

exercising Magisterial powers, to a fine not exceeding fifty Rupees, or in default, imprisonment not exceeding two months for the first offence, and for a repeated offence, to a fine not exceeding one hundred and fifty Rupees, or imprisonment not exceeding six months. Provided however that a Magisterial Officer shall have power to punish under this Clause, only to the extent to which he is empowered to punish in cases of ordinary misdemeanour, under his general powers.

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XXX. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to invest any of the Subordinates of the ordinary Revenue establishments, or of the Settlement or Survey Departments, with any portion of the powers conferred under this Act.

M. WYLIE,
Clerk of the Council.

Home Department.

No. 104.

Simla, the 17th April 1860.

Notification.—The Governor General is pleased to appoint Lord H. U. Browne to be Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home and Financial Departments. The appointment will have effect from the date on which Mr. R. B. Chapman takes his Furlough.

CEDIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

No. 802.

Fort William, the 26th April 1860.

Notifications.—The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to permit Mr. F. Gouldsbury to resign the Civil Service from the 1st proximo.

No. 803.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to grant Mr. W. H. Abbott, Registrar of the Archdeaconry of Calcutta, leave of absence for one month from this date.

During his absence, Mr. W. H. Abbott, Junior, will officiate as Registrar.

No. 804.

The 26th April 1860.

A License having been granted, under the provisions of Section II. Act No. VIII. of 1860, to the Punjab Railway Company to establish a line of Electric Telegraph along their line of Railway from Mooltan to Lahore, it is hereby notified and declared in accordance with Section XXII. of the said Act, that the ninth and eleven following Sections of the said Act shall be applicable to the said Telegraph and to all persons using the same or employed in connection therewith.

No. 805.

The 27th April 1860.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to permit Mr. J. H. Patton to resign the Civil Service from the 1st proximo.

No. 806.

The following Notice, respecting the new Cape of Good Hope Light, is published for general information:—

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.—No. 64, 1860.

Colonial Office, Cape of Good Hope,
16th February 1860.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has directed the publication of the following Notice, describing the new CAPE OF GOOD HOPE LIGHT, which will be exhibited on the first day of May 1860.

By Command of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, administering the Government,

RAWSON W. RAWSON,
Colonial Secretary.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE LIGHT.

The bearings are true, and the distances nautical miles.

An iron Tower has been erected on the Cape of Good Hope,—a light from which will be exhibited on the first of May 1860.

The Tower is 30 feet above the ground, and is painted white; the light is 316 feet above the sea, and is visible in all directions from N. 34° W., round by the West, South, East, and North, to N. 7° W., save and except on a sector included between N. 54° W. and N. 61° W., where it is obscured by the intervention of a high peak, 880 feet above the sea, and 1,800 yards from the light Tower.

The light is on the catoptric principle and of the first class: it is white—revolving—and shows its most brilliant beam once in a minute for the space of twelve seconds of time, and it is visible in clear weather from a deck 16 feet high at the distance of 11 miles.

Latitude of the light ... 34° 21' 12" S.
Longitude ... 18° 29' 30" E.

The light Tower stands N. 49° W., 925 yards from the Dias Rock, which is the Southern extremity of the Cape Peninsula.

The following bearings and distances are given from the light:—

Anvil Rocks	... S. 54° E.	1.8 miles
Bellows	... S. 1° W.	2.1 "
S. W. Reef	... S. 55° W.	1.8 "
Whittle Rock	... N. 27° 30' E.	7.2 "

A current of varied strength sets round the Cape and turns to the N. W. from the Bellows Rock. This rock always breaks; but not so the Anvil, which only breaks at low water and with a heavy swell. Sailing Vessels should not pass between these dangers and the Cape, unless with a commanding breeze. The rocky patch, "S. W. Reef" lies South 42° W., one mile only from the S. W. corner of the Cape Peninsula, and there is a rocky ground between it and the shore.

Ships from the Eastward should not bring the light to bear more Westward than W. by N. by which they will clear all dangers off Cape Hangklip. A tongue of low land stretches from the Cape in a S. 28° W. direction for 1.4 miles, rendering sailing

necessary in passing Hanglip in hazy weather, especially if bound into Simon's Bay. If bound for Table Bay from the Eastward, Vessels, after rounding the Cape of Good Hope and passing Slangkop Point, should not shut in the light with that point until the Green Point light becomes visible (which will be on a N. 41° E. bearing.) This course will carry them about two miles to the westward of the Vulcan Rock, which lies off the Northern entrance to Hout Bay; a course for Table Bay may then be shaped with safety.

Vessels from the Westward bound for Simon's Bay, after rounding the Cape of Good Hope and having brought the Southern end of the lofty Zwartkop range (which stands over the northern side of Smith's Winkle Bay,) to bear West—should keep the light on Cape Point between S. 2° W. and S. 23° W., until the Roman Rock light bears between N. 30° W. and N. 47° W., when they may haul towards it. These limits leave the rocks off Millar's Point on the one hand and the Whittle Rock on the other, half a mile distant. Should the weather be hazy and the whitewashed mark and beacon for the Whittle Rock indistinct—there is a dark peak over the Southern side of Hout Bay which being brought on with Elsey Peak on a N. 42° W. bearing, will lead clear (but close) to the Westward of the Whittle Rock.

F. SKEAD, Master, R. N.,
Astronomical Surveyor.

Simon's Bay, Feb. 2, 1860.

By Order,

W. GRAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Foreign Department.

No. 1326.

Simla, the 17th April 1860.

Notifications.—Major J. C. Brooke received charge of the Office of Political Agent at Jeypoor on the 24th ultimo.

Major R. L. Taylor, C. B., received charge of the Office of Political Agent at Meywar on the 26th ultimo.

No. 1331.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to make the following appointments in the Oudh Police, with effect from the date of Captain J. B. Hearsey's resignation:—

Lieutenant E. Hill to be Second Class District Superintendent.

Lieutenant E. M. Woodcock, Assistant District Superintendent, to be Third Class District Superintendent.

No. 1362.

The 18th April 1860.

Captain R. E. Hutchinson, Political Agent at Bhopal, left Bombay for England by the Steamer *Odessa*, on the 27th ultimo, in pursuance of the leave of absence granted to him in G. O. of the Bombay Government, No. 182, dated 26th idem.

The unexpired portion of the leave of absence for two months, granted to Captain Hutchinson, in G. O. G. G. No. 384, dated 31st January last, is cancelled from the date of his departure from Bombay.

No. 371.

The 19th April 1860.

First Class Native Doctor Kunha Lall is appointed to the Harowtee Agency at Deolce.

No. 1376.

The 20th April 1860.

The Viceroy and Governor General of India has had the honor to receive from Her Majesty the Queen the following most gracious Message:—

"The Queen congratulates the Viceroy and Governor General of India on the completion of the Telegraph Line which connects the Indian Empire with England.

"The Queen has much pleasure in sending by this new mode of communication Her greetings to Her Native Allies, and to the Princes and People of India.

"The Queen trusts that this rapid communication will under Providence be the means of increasing the prosperity of all classes of Her Subjects both in England and India."

Although there continue to be interruptions to the complete efficiency of the Sub-marine Telegraph, His Excellency deems it right that Her Majesty's most gracious Message be made known to all in India.

By Order of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India.

No. 1394.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to appoint Colonel J. Travers, of the late 2nd N. I. (Grenadiers) to officiate as Commandant of Meade's Horse, and to act also as Political Agent in Western Malwa.

Cecil Beadon,

Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

No. 1129.

Fort William, the 27th April 1860.

Mr. J. E. Burton, Extra Assistant Commissioner in Oudh, has obtained leave of absence for eight days, from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 1130.

Dr. J. B. Collison, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Hurdul in Oudh, resumed charge of his duties on the 10th instant.

No. 1131.

Captain J. L. Pearse, Officiating 1st Assistant to the Commissioner of Mysore, returned to his duty on the 31st March last.

No. 1132.

Major D. Brown, Deputy Commissioner of Prome, has obtained privilege leave of absence for two months from the 8th instant, the date on which he made over charge of his Office to Lieutenant A. G. Duff.

Mr. D. Lonsdale, Assistant Commissioner at Pongday, relieved Lieutenant Duff at Thayet-myo.

W. GRAY,

Offy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Financial Department.

No. 32.

Port William, the 20th April 1860.

Notifications.—Mr. A. K. Cortfield, who was appointed Civil Auditor, Fort William, from the 1st May next, in the Notification from the Financial Department No. 23, dated 31st March 1860, being about to proceed to England on leave on Medical Certificate, the Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. H. D. Sandeman, Sub-Treasurer at Madras, to officiate as Civil Auditor, Fort William.

Mr. F. Forbes, 1st Assistant Accountant General, Madras, to officiate as Sub-Treasurer, *vice* Mr. Sandeman.

Mr. W. J. Raynor, 2nd Assistant Accountant General, Madras, to officiate as 1st Assistant, *vice* Mr. Forbes.

Mr. W. Waterfield, 1st Assistant Accountant General to the Government of India, to officiate as Civil Auditor, Fort William, pending the arrival of Mr. Sandeman from Madras.

Mr. S. G. Wyatt, 3rd Assistant Accountant General to the Government of India, and at present Officiating as 2nd Assistant, to officiate as 1st Assistant Accountant General, *vice* Mr. Waterfield.

Mr. G. W. Kellner, at present Officiating 3rd Assistant Accountant General, to officiate as 2nd Assistant in the room of Mr. Wyatt.

Baboo Govind Chunder Dutt, Assistant Sub-Treasurer and at present Acting as Additional Assistant to the Accountant General, to officiate as 3rd Assistant Accountant General in the place of Mr. Kellner.

No. 33.

The 27th April 1860.

Referring to Notifications Nos. 34 and 60, dated 30th of April 1859 and 23rd of August 1859, respectively, it is hereby notified for public information that, from and after the 27th of April instant, Money will cease to be received at any of the Government Treasuries in any of the Presidencies for the purchase of Treasury Bills in the Forms indicated in the above Notifications.

With regard to the amount of such Bills in circulation, it is also intimated that a further Notification will shortly be made, under which Holders will be enabled to convert them into other stock or to receive the amount in cash as they fall due.

Published by Order,

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Military Department.

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE
GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Simla, the 17th April 1860.

The services of Lieutenant C. A. deKantzow, of the late 45th Regiment Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

Simla, the 17th April 1860.

The leave granted in General Order by the Governor General, dated the 17th ultimo, to Major-General C. A. Windham, C. B., Commanding the Lahore Division, to visit Bombay and thence to proceed to England for six months, on urgent private affairs, is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

Simla, the 18th April 1860.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to publish for general information the following Extract, paragraphs 1 and 2, from a Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 101, of the 8th March 1860, authorizing the grant of a Donation of six months' Batta to the Officers, Soldiers and Seamen engaged in the Persian Expedition, in acknowledgment of the great services rendered by them:—

Para. 1.—The earnest recommendation conveyed in your letter dated 8th October last, that, in lieu of the small amount of Prize Money realized by the Persian Expeditionary Force, six months' Donation Batta should be granted to the Land and Sea Forces engaged in that Expedition, has been under the consideration of Her Majesty's Government; and I have now the pleasure of informing you that Her Majesty's Government have acceded to your recommendation, and have resolved that a Donation of six months' Batta be presented to the Officers, Soldiers and Seamen engaged in the Expedition, in acknowledgment of the great services rendered by them.

2. The time which has elapsed since these Operations renders it especially necessary that all diligence should be shown in the preparation and transmission to this Country of Rolls of the Officers and Men who have left India, in order that their claims to the Batta should be settled. You are requested to give instructions accordingly.

Simla, the 18th April 1860.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased, in consideration of their gallant service and exemplary loyalty to the State, to sanction the advancement of Jemadar Sewchurn Misser, of the 1st Belooch Extra Battalion, from the 3rd to the 2nd Class of the Order of Merit, and to admit Jemadar Ellahee Bux, of the same Regiment, to the 3rd Class of the Order.

Simla, the 18th April 1860.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to publish the following Copy of the Horse Guard's Circular Memorandum, dated 1st June 1859, No. 170, defining the principles which regulate the grant of Medals to Sergeants for "Good Conduct" and "Long Service" and for "distinguished Conduct in the Field":—

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM ADDRESSED TO THE ARMY
AT HOME AND ABROAD.

HORSE GUARDS, S. W.,
1st June 1859.

GENERAL No. 170.

Medal and Gratuities.
1 (1859.)

It being desirable that the principles which regulate the grant of Annuities and Medals to Sergeants who may be already in possession of Medals and Gratuities should be more clearly defined than they are at present. The following Rules have been

framed by His Royal Highness the General Commanding-in-Chief, in concurrence with the Secretary of State for War, for the guidance of the Army generally :—

1. The Medal accompanying the Annuity, and inscribed "for Meritorious Service," is to be considered as given for service of the same nature as that accompanying the Gratuity. "For Long Service and Good Conduct," the former being held by Sergeants only, the latter by Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates indifferently.

2. Both Annuity and Gratuity are also given, under special circumstances, accompanied by Medals similarly inscribed "For distinguished Conduct in the Field."

3. When a Sergeant, on becoming an Annuitant, receives a Medal denoting by its inscription that it is given for service similar to that for which he has already received a Medal, he will be required to relinquish the latter Medal, together with its accompanying Gratuity, and to sign a Declaration that he does so voluntarily.

4. When, however, the inscription on the Medal granted to a Sergeant, together with an Annuity, shows that it is given for service of a different nature from that for which he already holds a Medal, he will be required to relinquish the Gratuity only, making a like declaration as to the voluntary relinquishment.

5. Commanding Officers are at liberty to recommend the re-appropriation of a relinquished Gratuity to any other deserving Soldier or Soldiers, provided they shall have been serving in the year for which the Gratuity was originally awarded, and shall have fulfilled the required conditions as to service and character in that year.

By Command,
(Signed) G. A. WETHERALL,
Adjutant-General.

It is notified that Her Majesty's Government have resolved that the principles laid down in the above Memorandum shall be made applicable to Her Majesty's Indian Army.

Simla, the 20th April 1860.

Subadar Peer Khan, of the 14th Regiment Bombay Native Infantry, is admitted to the 3rd Class of the "Order of Merit," for his bravery and coolness in the repulse of the Waghceers in their night attacks on his picket on the 26th, 30th and 31st October last.

R. J. H. BRACH, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor General.

Military Department.

Fort William, the 27th April 1860.

No. 432 of 1860.—The following Notifications, from the Public Works Department, are published in General Orders :—

No. 42.—*Head-Quarters, Simla, the 16th April 1860.*—*Notifications.*—Major Alaric Robertson, of the 48th Madras Native Infantry, Officiating Superintendent of the Lahore and Peshawur Road since 1857, to have the substantive position of a Superintending Engineer on the Establishment.

No. 43.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Young, Officiating as Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Department of Public Works, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 44, the 17th April 1860.—*Appointment.*—Captain G. R. Phillips, 5th Madras Light Cavalry, is appointed Officiating Executive Engineer, Diaraseo Division, Department Public Works, Hyderabad.

No. 72.—*Fort William, the 24th April 1860.*—*Appointment.*—Lieutenant J. L. Watts, Executive Engineer of the 4th Class, at present in charge of the Agra Division, is confirmed in that appointment, *in* Captain J. D. Campbell, appointed a Superintending Engineer in Notification No. 1, Governor General's Camp, dated 2nd January 1860.

No. 110 of 1860.—The following Notification, from the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is published in General Orders :—

No. 1880, the 21st April 1860.—*Appointment.*—Mr. A. G. Crowe to officiate as Civil Assistant Surgeon of Purneah. This cancels his appointment of the 27th ultimo to Pooree.

No. 111 of 1860.—The following Notifications, from the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor, Punjab Provinces, are published in General Orders :—

3rd Regiment Punjab Infantry.

No. 171.—*Lahore, 11th April 1860.*—The Regimental Order, dated 14th March 1860, by Lieutenant G. A. Wey, in temporary Command, assuming charge of the Office of 2nd in Command, in addition to his other duties, consequent on the departure of Lieutenant Ordey, to join the 6th Police Battalion, is confirmed as a temporary arrangement.

No. 174.—The Meer Meer Brigade Order, dated 21st March 1860, by Major-General C. A. Windham, C. B., Commanding, despatching Ensign A. M. Ommenney, 17th Native Infantry, doing duty with H. M.'s 51st King's Own Light Infantry, to proceed and join the 1st Sikh Infantry at Abbottabad, in anticipation of the sanction of Government to his appointment, is confirmed.

No. 112 of 1860.—Subadar Motee Komor, of the Extra Goorkha Regiment, is permitted to resign the Service from the date of publication of this Order at the Head-Quarters of the Corps.

No. 443 of 1860.—The under-mentioned Individual is admitted to Pension as specified opposite to his name :—

Gunner John Kinner, of the	} (9 ¹ / ₂) nine pence per	
2nd Troop 3rd Brigade		
Horse Artillery		
	... } then, payable at the	
		Cape of Good Hope.

No. 444 of 1860.—The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to direct that the issue for private use to Public Officers on chargeable Indents of Medicines, Chemicals, Surgical or other Instruments, &c., from the several Medical Depôts, shall be discontinued :—

Medicines and Instruments may, however, under special circumstances still be supplied, when the Chief Medical Officer of the Division is satisfied that the article required is not procurable in any

Druggists' Establishment, in which case it will be issued on presentation of a Treasury receipt for the cost.

Instruments and Europe Veterinary Medicines, which have heretofore been issued on chargeable Indents of Veterinary Surgeons, will hereafter be supplied to all Mounted Corps and be accounted for in the usual manner.

No. 445 of 1860.—*Erratum*.—In G. O. G. G. dated Allahabad 20th April 1858, No. 99, appointing certain men to the Order of Merit, for "Ressardar Soobhan Khan, of the 8th Irregular Cavalry," read Ressardar and *Wardie* Major Soobhan Khan, of the 8th Irregular Cavalry. Order Books to be corrected accordingly.

F. D. ATKINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Public Works Department.

GENERAL.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 15.

Head-Quarters Simla, the 17th April 1860.

Promotion.—Lieutenant C. M. Browne, Officiating Executive Engineer, Kohat Division, is promoted to the grade of Executive Engineer, 4th Class, with effect from 20th February 1860.

No. 16.

The 18th April 1860.

Notifications.—The temporary transfer sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, of the Lahore and Ferozepore Road from the Lahore Division to the 8th Division Grand Trunk Road, as also the transfer of Mr. J. Gordon, Special Assistant Engineer, from the Upper Sind Division to the 8th Division Grand Trunk Road, are confirmed.

No. 47.

Major S. O. E. Ludlow, Chief Engineer of Sagar Territory is, on the application of the Government of Madras, placed at the disposal of that Government, from the period at which he may make over his present charge. He will do on receipt of orders from the Government, North-Western Provinces.

H. XULZ, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor-General.

No. 74.

Port William, the 25th April 1860.

Erratum.—In Notification No. 65 of the 10th instant for "7th or Cuttack Circle," read "*Cuttack Division*."

No. 75.

Notification.—The under-mentioned individuals are appointed temporary Assistant Overseers in the Public Works Department and posted to Bengal:—

Mr. C. Manly.
" G. B. Phibbs.
" C. Macgurne.
" J. P. Thompson.
Baboo Shib Chunder Mullick.

No. 76.

The 27th April 1860.

Transfer.—Mr. C. Mayne, C. E., Executive Engineer, 1th Class, is transferred from the Railway Department, North-Western-Provinces to Bengal.

No. 77.

Leave of Absence.—The leave of absence for three months, on Medical Certificate, granted by the Commissioner of Pegu to Captain B. Wyld, 4th Class Executive Engineer, Bassin Division, with effect from 8th April 1860, is confirmed.

C. H. DICKENS, Captain,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

No. 1968.

APPOINTMENTS.—*The 25th April 1860*.—Mr. A. W. Russell to be Additional Judge of Dacca.

Mr. H. B. Lawford, Officiating Register, to be Register of the Sudder Court.

Mr. W. S. Wells, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Burdwan, to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of that District.

Mr. H. C. Richardson to be Magistrate and Collector of Bhawalpore.

Mr. T. Walton, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Sylhet, to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of that District.

Mr. R. C. Raikes, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Bagerunge, to be Magistrate and Collector of that District from the 11th ultimo.

Mr. H. H. Robinson to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Patna, but to continue to officiate until further orders as Magistrate and Collector of Champaran.

Mr. A. Smith, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Purneah, to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of that District.

Mr. F. Tucker to be Magistrate and Collector of Midnapore, but to continue to officiate until further orders as Judge of Rangpore.

Mr. E. W. Molony, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Jessore, to be Magistrate and Collector of that District.

Mr. J. M. Lewis, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Malda, to be Magistrate and Collector of that District.

Mr. H. B. Simson to be Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Midnapore, but to officiate until further orders as Magistrate and Collector of Purneah.

Mr. H. J. Reynolds to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

Mr. C. F. Carnac, now absent on leave, to be Magistrate, Collector and Salt Agent of Cuttack, and Ex-Officio Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals.

Mr. G. Bright, Officiating Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, to be Collector of that District.

Mr. G. G. Balfour to be Magistrate and Collector of Pubna, but to continue to officiate until further orders as Magistrate and Collector of Sylhet.

Mr. W. H. Henderson, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Monghyr, to be Magistrate and Collector of that District.

Mr. S. C. Bayley to be Magistrate of Shahabad.

Lieutenant J. G. Reeves, Commandant, 2nd Police Battalion, is vested with the full powers of a Magistrate in the District of Pubna.

Baboo Radakaunth Burroah, Moonsiff of Rangpore in Kamroop, is vested with the powers of a Sudder Ameen in that District.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—*The 16th April 1860.*—Mr. C. B. Trevor, Judge of the Sudder Court, for six months, under Section XIV. of the new Revised Absentee Rules.

The 25th April 1860.—Mr W. Ainslie, Railway Commissioner, for one week, under the Financial Notification of the 14th October 1857, preparatory to proceeding on furlough.

Moulavy Duleeladdeen Ahmed, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Backergunge, for one month, under Section VII. of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules.

NOTIFICATION.—*The 25th April 1860.*—The appointment of Mr. J. B. Worgan on the 20th instant, to officiate as Magistrate of Shahabad, is cancelled, and he will remain in charge of the Sub-Division of Sasseceram.

A. B. Youse,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces.

Allahabad, Tuesday, April 17, 1860.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 717A.

Camp Noguee Tal, the 2nd April 1860.

Notifications.—The services of Mr. E. C. Bayley, Officiating Civil and Sessions Judge of Futtcheguh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 735A.

The 4th April 1860.

Mr. H. P. Fane, Officiating Civil and Sessions Judge of Cawnpore, on being relieved of that Office by Mr. F. P. Pearson, will officiate as Civil and Sessions Judge of Shahjehanpore, during the absence on leave of the Civil and Sessions Judge, Mr. W. Wynyard, or until further orders.

No. 749A.

The 5th April 1860.

Mr. H. Lushington is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Azimgurh, until further orders, from the date on which he may receive charge of the Office from Mr. Marriott.

No. 753A.

The 7th April 1860.

Mr. E. Macnaughton is posted as an Assistant to the District of Jounpore, where he will exercise the full powers of a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 286A.

Camp Noguee Tal, the 1th April 1860.

Mr. T. B. Cann, Inspector 1st Circle, Department Public Instruction, is granted six months' leave to England, on private affairs, under the Uncovenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules, from the 1st instant, or from the date on which he may avail himself of the same.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 581A.

Camp Noguee Tal, the 3rd April 1860.

Whereas it appears to the Hon'ble the Lieutenant Governor that land is required to be taken up by Government, at the public expense, for a public purpose, viz., for the site of a Tehseel at Anoopshuhur, it is hereby declared, that a piece of ground 300 feet square, at the junction of the "Coel and Anoopshuhur and Anoopshuhur and Booldandshuhur" Roads, is required.

This Declaration is made under Section II. Act VI. of 1857.

No. 139.
The 7th April 1880.
The following Statement of Works of public utility, constructed by Individuals at their own private cost, in the Districts of the Benares Division, during the year 1859, is published for general information.

District.	Names of Individuals by whom constructed	Description of the Work	Place where constructed	Cost.	Remarks.
Asimgurh.	Rameshai Singh	1 Pucca Well	Mouzah Pipree	75 0 0	
Ditto	Bakhus, Kooree	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Kazeepoor	50 0 0	
Ditto	Lalla Keera Lal	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Kazeer	60 0 0	
Ditto	Mirza Syfan Beg	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Telebra	50 0 0	
Ditto	Shank Zuhoor	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Bunsanahi	50 0 0	
Ditto	Jayal Dewar	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Jowar	60 0 0	
Ditto	Buoree Singh	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Syedpoor	80 0 0	
Ditto	Shasaguna Das, Putwarae	1 Kutchha Tank	Ditto Salempore	500 0 0	
Jounpore	Sacharam and Chunder Bhan, Agurwala	1 Pucca Well with Platform	Ditto Pethar	563 11 3	On the direct road from this to Asimgurh.
Ditto	Ram Churn Sonar	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Chorsur	225 0 0	Ditto
Ditto	Zaheer Singh	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Secundah	125 0 0	
Ditto	Dindyal Singh	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Ditto	125 0 0	
Ditto	Baare Singh	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Ditto	50 0 0	
Ditto	Alansa, Kooree	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Amaen Koord	200 0 0	
Ditto	Buddhoo, Kulwar	1 ditto ditto	Ditto Ditto	200 0 0	
Mirzapoor	Sitaran Das	Dharmas a	Ditto Ditto	200 0 0	
Ditto	Parsun Kewat	Well and Temple	Budlee Ghat	1 000 0 0	
Ditto	Mohunt Jaram Geer	1 Pond	Mouzah Kutha	150 0 0	
Benares	Musasant Broodhis	1 Pucca Well	Close to Uhtobaja	10 000 0 0	
Ditto	Nobin Chunder Mookerjee	1 ditto ditto	Bhadore	200 0 0	
Ditto	Kahee Buzah	ditto ditto	Tilbandessur	300 0 0	
Ditto	Gyadhar, Hulwace	1 Kutchha Tank	Mohulla Oudh	600 0 0	
Ditto	Bachoo Singh	ditto ditto	Mirza Moorad	800 0 0	
Ditto	Chotao Lal, Kooree	1 Kutchha Well	Khujoorae	500 0 0	
Ditto	Punehum Lal, ditto	ditto ditto	Sayoonha	85 0 0	
Ditto	Bassoon Dyal, ditto	ditto ditto	Pallee	25 0 0	
Ditto	Sirdhoo, ditto	ditto ditto	Baboorae	25 0 0	
Ditto	Gurceeb Geer, Goshan	A Pucca Well	Ditto	25 0 0	
Ditto	Gunga, Kulwar	ditto ditto	Bhunda	150 0 0	
Ditto	Seouarain, ditto	ditto ditto	Nyar	500 0 0	
Ditto	Kewul Perhand	ditto ditto	Ditto	150 0 0	
Ditto	Phoorman Doobey	ditto ditto	Hurdaseepoor	80 0 0	
Ditto	Kaleo, Goshan	ditto ditto	Purajur	100 0 0	
Ditto	Jannae, Kulwarin	ditto ditto	Bussan	100 0 0	
Ditto	Salik, Hulwace	ditto ditto	Sheepoor	400 0 0	
Ditto	Gungun Misser	ditto ditto	Bubora	75 0 0	
Ditto	Agroo, Sonar	ditto ditto	Chennaa	100 0 0	
Ditto	Choonae Lal	ditto ditto	Sura Bulloea	100 0 0	
Gaseepoor.	Khahee, Goshan	ditto ditto	Hussanpoor	300 0 0	
		Tank	Beyra	250 0 0	Opposes the high road from Ghazaspore to Chapra.

No. 142.

The 8th April 1860.

The following Statement of Works of public utility, constructed by Individuals at their own private cost, in the District of Goruckpore, during the year 1859, is published for general information:—

Nos.	Names of Individuals by whom constructed.	Description of Works.	PLACES WHERE CONSTRUCTED.		Cost.	Remarks.
			Mouzah.	Pergunnah.		
1	Durga Pershad	Pucca Well	Kusba Bansee, Khass	Bansee	125 0 0	
2	Khakea, Goshain	Ditto	Pudree 3rd	Mughur	40 0 0	
3	Sheo Lal Ojah	Ditto	Nundocamafeg	Ditto	40 0 0	
4	Besheshur and others	Ditto	Doolheepar	Ditto	25 0 0	
5	Shah Mahmood Ushruff	Ditto	Papra	Ditto	35 0 0	
6	Jehangear Buksh	Ditto	Hunsoreah	Ditto	40 0 0	
7	Parag Pandey	Ditto	Oosra Shohid	Ditto	40 0 0	
8	Meeran Buksh	Ditto	Mujahnee Mujaha	Ditto	35 0 0	
9	Chutturdharee Roy	Ditto	Saunda	Ditto	20 0 0	
10	Sheodial	Ditto	Bowdeeb	Ditto	40 0 0	
11	Sheikh Khuda Buksh	Ditto	Seekra, Khass	Ditto	35 0 0	
12	Marhaee, Koornee	Ditto	Jhoonjheea	Ditto	35 0 0	
13	Gyapershad	Ditto	Shewakutas	Ditto	50 0 0	
14	Beshashur Opudhia	Ditto	Pursona, Khoord	Ditto	50 0 0	
15	Raghobur Singh	Ditto	Poorucab	Ditto	34 0 0	
16	Fukeeraj Miesr.	Kutchia Well	Pyna, Khoord	Ditto	15 0 0	
17	Purbhoodeen Pandey	Ditto	Peswa	Ditto	18 0 0	
18	Widow of Dahee Suhoy	Pucca Well	Dhalooa Khancee	Ditto	40 0 0	
19	Dhunput Roy	Ditto	Bhanggaon, Khass	Owla	150 0 0	
20	Jokhun Kundoo	Ditto	Kotha	Bhowpoor	50 0 0	
21	Oomrao, Naik	Ditto	Bhulooan	Ditto	50 0 0	
■	Ditto, ditto	Kutchia Tank	Ditto	Ditto	200 0 0	
■	Sheodial Pandey	Pucca Well	Assapoor	Owla	50 0 0	

Nos.	Names of Individuals by whom constructed.	Description of Works.	PLACE WHERE CONSTRUCTED.		Cost.	REMARKS.
			Mouzah.	Pergunnah.		
24	Purehun, Aheer	Pucca Well	Assapoor	Owla	50 0 0	
25	Bhowanee, Aheer	Kutchia Tank	Jhulana	Ditto	200 0 0	
26	Ghorun Lall	Pucca Well	Hundia	Ditto	60 0 0	
27	Sheorundun Roy	Ditto	Gola Bazar	Dhortapar	50 0 0	
28	Bhugta, Kulwar	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	80 0 0	
29	Sheo Lall Singh	2 Kutchia Tanks	Tola Surubree	Huvelee	1000 0 0	
30	Rambawaz Lall	1 Ditto	Shikarpoor	Ditto	300 0 0	
31	Nand Lall Doobey	Pucca Well	Dhaligurh	Salunpoor	70 14 3	
32	Buchoo Singh	Ditto	Suraya	Sylhut	75 8 0	
33	Razae Ram	Ditto	Bampoor	Ditto	50 8 0	
34	Ditto	Ditto	Doomree	Ditto	49 12 0	
35	Ramsurun Radd	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	59 0 0	
36	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto	40 8 0	
37	Ubhiman Roy	Ditto	Khurnungpoor	Ditto	40 0 0	
38	Dharoo Khan	Ditto	Kubeerpoor	Ditto	40 8 0	
39	Mulung, Hulwasee	Ditto	Belwa	Ditto	40 4 0	
40	Doneea, Aheer	Ditto	Tarakulpoor	Ditto	31 8 0	
41	Loutoo Dae	Ditto	Surseea	Ditto	40 4 0	
42	Jugdees Tewaroo	Ditto	Poomes	Ditto	75 12 0	
43	Sudaphul	Ditto	Deoria Ramnath	Ditto	25 8 0	
44	Ochall Kandoo	Ditto	Surpat	Ditto	30 0 0	
45	Masey Doobey	Ditto	Koona	Huvelee	30 0 0	
Total Rs. ...					3,665 14 3	

No. 143.

The 9th April 1860.

The following Statement of works of public utility, constructed by Individuals at their own private cost, in the Districts of the Agra Division, during the year 1859, is published for general information:—

District.	Names of Individuals by whom constructed.	Description of the Work.	Place where constructed.	Cost.	REMARKS.
Mathra	Hossein Alli, khardar of Raja Pirthee Singh	Pucca Well	Mouzah Konak, Pergunnah Areeng	150 0 0	} For the convenience of Travel- lers and others. } For the benefit of the Public and Scholars of the Government School.
	Sister of Sabho, Cloth Merchant	Ditto	Mouzah Jumnowtry, Pergunnah Areeng	200 0 0	
	Khooab Chund, Cannoongoe of Tehslee Maat	Ditto	Mouzah Dankolee, Pergunnah Maat	400 0 0	
	Pandit Motee Lall, Tehseldar and other Sub- scribers	Ditto	Qusbah Jullaisur	300 0 0	
Agra	Gunput Roy, Zemindar	Ditto	Nugla Sathul	150 0 0	
	Faujdar, Brahmin	Ditto	Samree Mow	100 0 0	
	Sheikh Moosuffur Alli	Ditto	Mouzah Kukrales	150 0 0	
	Doola Roy	Ditto	Bhyulpoor	2000 0 0	
	Kooshal Chund and Bhujjun Lall	Ditto	Tekha Ghat	2000 0 0	
	Hazaree Lall	Bisanth	Ditto	25000 0 0	
	Bunsee Lall, Sadh	Pucca Well	Amaithee	50 0 0	
	Gopal Singh	Mundur	Mouzah Rohela, Pergunnah Mohom- dabad	100 0 0	
Farruckabad	Sada Mund Tewares	Ditto	Mouzah Pootree, Pergunnah Mohom- dabad	7000 0 0	} Repaired the Mundur. }
	Musummat Monda, wife of Bhowanee Pershad.	Ditto	Saree Ghag	750 0 0	
	Harnood Roy, Chooreewallah	Pucca Road	From Gunga Durwaza to Bagh Kun- noo Lall	4500 0 0	
	Musummat Misree	Pucca Well	On the road to Etawah	60 0 0	
	Chowdree Luchmun Singh and Utaf Hossein.	A Bridge	Kooralee	200 0 0	
Mynpoorie	Imam Buksh, Glass-maker	Pucca Well	Juswuntungur	300 0 0	
Etawah					

By Order of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, North-Western Provinces,

G. E. W. COOPER,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor, Punjab Provinces.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. F. R. Scarlett, Extra Assistant, Umritsur, has obtained twelve months' leave to Europe, under Section V. of the Unconvenanted Service Leave Rules, from the date of his embarkation, with the usual preparatory leave.

Appointment.—Lieutenant W. G. Waterfield, Assistant Commissioner, is transferred from the Delhi to the Dehra Ismael Khan District, and appointed Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Leia Division.

Transfer.—Mr. C. E. Bernard, Assistant Commissioner, from the Jullundur to the Delhi District.

Lieutenant J. Havelock, Assistant Commissioner, from the Lahore to the Jullundur District.

General Department, No. 1066, dated 17th April 1860

R. H. DAVIES,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

LAHORE, 18TH APRIL 1860.

No. 180.—The Dera Ghazee Khan Station Order, dated 27th March 1860, by Lieutenant C. J. Godby, Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon J. Fairweather, 4th Punjab Cavalry, to receive Medical charge of the Civil Station, Jail, and Dispensary, and also the Wing of the 3rd Punjab Infantry left at Dera Ghazee Khan, in addition to his other duties, consequent on the departure of Assistant Surgeon J. R. Dean, 3rd Punjab Infantry, proceeding with the Head-Quarters of his Corps, is confirmed.

No. 181.—The Runnoo Station Order, dated 9th April 1860, by Lieutenant-Colonel G. W. G. Green, C. B., Commanding, directing Assistant Surgeon H. Potter, 1st Sikh Infantry, to receive Medical charge of the Civil Establishment, Jail, and Artillery, at the Station during the absence of Assistant Surgeon G. Farrell, proceeding with his Regiment on Field Service, or until further orders, is confirmed.

No. 182.—The Kohat Station Orders, dated 12nd April 1860, by Captain J. R. Sladen, Commanding, are confirmed.

Directing Lieutenant J. P. Davidson, 1st Punjab Infantry, to act as Station Staff Officer, during the absence of Lieutenant H. W. Pitcher, 4th Punjab Infantry.

Directing Assistant Surgeon A. M. Garden, 2nd Punjab Cavalry, to afford Medical aid to the men of No. 1 Punjab Light Field Battery, and Detachment 5th Punjab Infantry, in addition to his other duties, during the absence of Assistant Surgeon A. M. Verchere.

G. HUTCHINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Punjab,
Military Department.

NOTIFICATION.

It is hereby notified for general information that Genl. Department, No. 1047, dated 17th April 1860. the Steamers (the *Shalam* and the *Chenab*) will run monthly between Kurrachee and Mooltan, and will be available for private passengers and merchandise as formerly.

The up-Steamer will leave Kurrachee on or about the 2nd, and the down-Steamer will leave Mooltan on or about the 21st of each month.

By order, &c.,
R. H. DAVIES,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

NOTIFICATION.

With the sanction of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, a Normal Class will be formed, from the 1st May 1860, in the Government Anglo-Vernacular School recently established at Lahore.

2. The object in view is to train a certain number of Scholars, who are already well acquainted with their vernacular tongue, have a fair knowledge of Arithmetic, Geography, and Indian History, through that medium, and have attained some proficiency in the English language, for the post of Masters and Assistant Masters in the Zillah Schools about to be organized in various Districts of the Punjab.

3. Such Scholars must be *bona fide* natives of the Punjab or its Dependencies, above the age of 17, and must enter into a written agreement to serve for at least two years (after being declared qualified for the post) as Teachers in Government Zillah Schools, on not less than 30 Rupees per mensem. If worthy of higher salaries, Teacherships of various grades up to 150 Rupees per mensem, will be open to them. In case of quitting the Normal Class before qualifying for a Teachership, or of resigning a Government Teachership without due cause, before completing two years of service, they must engage to refund all that they have received by way of stipend.

4. Students of the Normal Class will receive, while under instruction, a monthly stipend of 10 Rupees each. The number of such stipendiary Students is for the present limited to ten, and these will be selected from among Candidates for admission who possess the highest acquirements in the subjects before mentioned.

5. Candidates who may fail in gaining admission as stipendiary Students, or any others fulfilling the conditions prescribed in para. 3, will be eligible as non stipendiary Students of the Normal Class, to the number of six only. No entrance donation or monthly tuition fee will be demanded of the latter; and as stipends fall vacant, they will be allotted to the most successful of these non-stipendiary Students.

6. The attention of the Normal Class will be directed almost exclusively to the study of English Literature, and the course of training will at first extend over a period of from six to twelve months, according to circumstances.

7. Candidates should apply for admission, either personally or by letter, to the nearest Inspector of Schools, *viz.*, to Lieutenant Holroyd at Umballa, or to Lieutenant Forbes at Lahore.

A. R. FULLER,
Director of Public Instruction, Punjab.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioner for the investigation of claims to Compensation, in the Punjab, for losses occasioned by the Mutiny, having closed his proceedings, notice is hereby given that no more claims will now be received.

When the orders of the Supreme Government are received for the disbursement of money on account of such claims, due notice thereof will be given in the *Punjab Gazette* and the public Newspapers.

Claimants who have addressed the Compensation Commissioner or the Punjab Government, enquiring about their Compensation claims, are requested to consider this notice as a reply.

R. H. DAVIES,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

Notification.

FORT ST. GEORGE, 20th MARCH 1860.

THE Government of Madras are prepared to receive offers, through the Superintendent of Marine, for the establishment of a Line of Steamers of not less than 600 Tons gross and 150 Horse-power, or thereabout, between Madras, the Northern Ports and Rangoon, on the following conditions :—

1st.—That a Steamer be despatched to Rangoon two days after the arrival of the first or second Suez Steamer of the month, as may hereafter be decided, touching at Masulipatam, Cocanada and Vizagapatam, and that she return to Madras by the same route.

2nd.—That she carry all Mails free of expense to Government.

3rd.—That she shall afford the regulated space below decks for at least 100 Natives, accommodation (Cabin) for 5 Officers and 3 Warrant Officers, and stowage in the hold for 30 tons of Stores.

4th.—That the freight and passage money shall be according to the following scale :—

Between	Cabin Passage.	Intermediate Passage.	Children, Cabin Passage.		Deck Passage.		Freight per ton of 50 cubic feet.	Treasure.
			Above 7 and under 16 years.	Under 7.	Europeans.	Natives.		
					Children.	Half fare.		
Madras and Masulipatam ...	60	24	30 0	15 0	16 0 0	12 0 0	18	½ per cent.
Do do Coringa ...	70	28	35 0	17 8	17 5 4	12 10 8	21	Do.
Do do Vizagapatam ...	80	32	40 0	20 0	18 10 8	14 0 0	24	Do.
Do do Rangoon ...	150	60	75 0	37 8	26 10 8	20 0 0	45	Do.
Masulipatam and Coringa ...	30	12	15 0	7 8	8 0 0	6 0 0	15	Do.
Do do Vizagapatam ...	40	16	20 0	10 0	9 5 4	6 10 8	18	Do.
Do do Rangoon ...	135	54	67 8	34 0	24 0 0	18 0 0	40	Do.
Coringa and Vizagapatam ...	30	12	15 0	7 8	8 0 0	6 0 0	15	Do.
Do do Rangoon ...	120	48	60 0	30 0	21 5 4	16 0 0	35	Do.
Vizagapatam and Rangoon ...	165	42	52 8	26 0	18 10 8	14 0 0	30	Do.

5th.—That each Cabin Passenger be permitted to carry 3 Cwts. baggage, and each Deck Passenger 40 lbs., exclusive of their Arms and Knapsacks; and that extra space be allowed for the men's provisions, which will be supplied by the Commissariat.

6th.—That the Commander be held responsible for the custody and issue of the provisions in the mode adopted on board Government Transports or other Vessels carrying Troops; and

7th.—That in the event of the Steamer failing to keep to her time of departure from Madras the subsidy and guarantee shall not be claimable, and that in all cases the subsidy shall not be payable until the Vessel has accomplished her voyage out and home.

2. The Government will guarantee freight and passage money to the extent of (7,500) seven thousand and five hundred Rupees on each full trip from Madras and back.

3. Cabin Passengers are to be provided with a liberal table, including liquors.

4. Intermediate passage is intended for Warrant Officers who are entitled to a plain, substantial mess, without liquor.

5. Deck Passengers will be fed by the Government, but the Commander will be required to take charge of, issue and cook their food.

6. Parties tendering should state full particulars of the Vessel or Vessels they would propose to employ, more especially as to age, tonnage, horse-power and 'tween-deck accommodation for Troops; and the subsidy required should be stated for the voyage from Madras and back.

7. No penalties will be stipulated for in the event of failure.

8. Tenders should be addressed to the Superintendent of Marine, Madras, and despatched so as to arrive not later than the 31st July next.

By Order,

T. PROCTOR, Chief Secretary.

Opium Notification.

Notice is hereby given, that the Fifth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1858-59, will be held at the Exchange Hall, on Monday, the 7th May 1860, at 11 A. M., and will comprize 1,780 Chests, viz. :—

Behar Opium	1,270
Benares ditto	510
Total Chests...	1,780

2. The general Conditions of the Sale now advertized will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 12th November 1859, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 22nd May 1860, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's Receipts, Company's Paper or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale, will be received after 1 P. M. of Saturday, the 12th May 1860, and no Treasury Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 22nd May 1860.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertized for sale, the following quantities more or less of Behar and Benares Opium of 1858-59, will be brought to sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below.

5. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

	Behar about Chests.	Benares about Chests.	Total about Chests.
On or about Monday, 11th June 1860 .	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 8th July " ..	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 8th August " ..	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 10th Sept. " ...	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 8th October " ..	1270	510	1780
Ditto " 5th Nov. " ..	1270	510	1780
Ditto Wednesday, 6th Dec. " ..	1270	509	1779
	8880	3560	12440

By Order of the Board of Revenue,

E. H. LUSHINGTON,
Junior Secretary.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 29th March 1860. }

Notice.

ALL Officers in charge of Treasuries, Civil and Military, are informed that the Pay Office at Julunder has been removed to Gwalior, and payment of the Troops in that Division commenced on the 3rd current.

E. DRUMMOND,
Accountant General.

Notification.

To the Officers of the Political, Judicial, Revenue, Customs, Salt, Opium and other branches of the Service.

THE Civil Auditor has the honor to request that Disbursing Officers, in charge of Civil Establishments, will be good enough to submit, as soon after the 1st of May next as may be practicable, separate from their April Pay Abstracts, the Annual Detailed Statements of the respective Establishments as per Forms Nos. 1, 2 and 3, furnished for their guidance in 1858, annexing a note to each of the above Statements showing the items of expenditure which though sanctioned, has not been actually incurred, with reference to Financial Resolution of 29th October 1857, No. 1751. Pending the receipt of these documents the audit of their April Abstracts will, under Financial Resolution of 7th September 1842, be withheld.

The usual Annual Returns of Uncovenanted Servants up to 1st May 1860, as well as separate Statements showing the periods of leave granted to Uncovenanted Assistants, are also requested to be furnished in Forms Nos. 4 and 5, with the above Annual Detailed Statements.

W. P. PALMER,
Civil Auditor.

FORT WILLIAM;
Civil Auditor's Office,
The 17th April 1860. }

Notification.

THE Civil Auditor, North-Western Provinces, has the honor to repeat his annual call to all Disbursing Officers in charge of Civil Establishments, and to Commandants of Military Police Battalions in the North-Western Provinces, for the submission (as soon after the 1st May next, as practicable, with the April Abstract) of their regular Annual Detailed Statement, containing the names and full particulars of the whole of the Establishment; and to observe that, with reference to the Orders of Government, dated 15th October 1842, published in the *Agra Government Gazette* of the 15th November 1842, the audit of their Abstracts for April next will be withheld until the receipt of the required Returns.

2. To facilitate check, it is particularly requested that the Abstract for April be sub-divided into distinct headings, so that each description of Office, with its total, shall correspond with the details given in the Statement of Establishment for the 1st May, agreeably to the form furnished.

3. It is also requested that the three separate Lists prescribed for all Uncovenanted Civil Servants (Europeans and East Indians) and Natives, (in the last the names of only those holding appointments of trust and responsibility should be inserted) employed on their Establishments, be furnished for 1st May 1860, without delay.

J. BEND,
Offg. Civil Auditor.

CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE, N. W. P.;
Allahabad, the 3rd April 1860. }

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the improvements in the Channel of the Bansputtee Khall, which connects the Damoodah River at Moirakuh with the Hooghly River at Oolobarriah, will be completed on the 30th April 1860, when the Dams will be removed and the Channel be opened for Navigation, during high Tides and Floods, between the Damoodah and Hooghly Rivers, and that a Public Auction will be held at Oolobarriah, in the Dawk Bungalow, at Noon on the 25th April 1860, by the Executive Engineer of the Burdwan Division, for the sale of the Toll Collections to the highest bidder, who will have to deposit 500 Rupees, and to make that sum up to one-fourth of the amount of the Farm before the 1st May 1860, when the agreement will be signed and completed.

The Toll Collections are to be made according to the subscribed Schedule approved of by Government, and the period of the lease will extend from the 1st May to the 30th November 1860, both days inclusive.

For further particulars apply to W. Smith, Esquire, Executive Engineer of the Division at Burdwan, or to Serjeant J. Keane, Assistant Overseer at Moirakuh.

Schedule of Rates at which Tolls will be levied at the Bansputtee Channel.

- All Boats to pay (N) eight annas per 100 mds.
- " Empty (4) four annas per 100 mds.
- " Rafts (1) one anna per each Timber.
- " Floats (2) two annas per 100 Bamboos.
- " Passenger Boats (2) two annas per Oar.
- " Empty Passenger Boats (1) one anna each.

W. SMITH, C. E.,

Executive Engineer, Burdwan Division.

BURDWAN,
The 11th April 1860. }

Notice.

REQUIRED, a Treasurer for the Collectorate of Zillah Nowgong, Assam. Salary 65 Rupees per mensem. Security will be required to the extent of 10,000 Rupees in cash, or Landed Property valued at 5 Rupees per Poorah. Application, with Certificates of character and qualifications, to be submitted to the Collector of Nowgong, Assam.

H. SCORCE,
Collector.

ASSAM COLLECTORSHIP ;
Zillah Nowgong,
The 7th April 1860. }

For Dacca and Assam.

THE *Adjai*, with the *Megna* in tow, will be despatched at 2 P. M. on the 1st proximo.

Packages accompanied with freight money to be sent at once to the Boat Office.

By Order of the Superintendent of Marine,

W. WHITE,

Clerk of the Govt. Boat Office.

The 24th April 1860.

**Civil Engineering College,
Fort William.****NOTICE.**

THE next Annual Session will commence on the 1st of June. Candidates for admission should submit their applications on or before the 20th May, Forms of which may be obtained at the College between the hours of 10 and 1 daily.

Candidates must have either passed the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University or be holders of Senior Scholarships.

GEORGE CHESNEY, Major,
Offg. Principal, C. E. College.

Notice.

CERTAIN Articles appertaining to the Estate of the late James Jeremiah Pemberton, of the Revenue Survey Department, are under the Seal of this Court, and will be made over to any person duly authorized to receive them.

A. CAMPBELL,
Judge.

CIVIL COURT ;
Dacca,
The 21st April 1860. }

**Miss Honrietta Matilda Shakespear,
deceased.**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, DEBTORS, CLAIMANTS,
AND NEAR OF KIN.

PURSUANT to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd, Victoria cap. 35, intitled "an Act to further amend the Law of property and to relieve Trustees" Notice is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or demand either as Creditors on or as being beneficially as next of kin or otherwise interested in the Estate of Honrietta Matilda Shakespear, formerly of Boxwell Court, Gloucestershire, then of Tonbridge Wells in the County of Kent, and late of No. 16, Thurl's Place, Brompton, in the County of Middlesex, Spinster (who died intestate on or about the 1th day of November 1859, and letters of administration to whose personal Estate and Effects were on the 19th day of January instant granted in the principal registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required on or before the 30th day of June 1860, to send in full particulars of their claims and demands upon the Estate of the said deceased to me the undersigned, the Solicitor to the Administratrix, at my Office as under-mentioned, or in default thereof the said Administratrix will, at the expiration of the above named time, proceed to administer the Estate and distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had such notice. And all persons indebted to the Estate of the said intestate are hereby required forthwith to pay the amount of their respective debts to me.

Dated this 25th day of January 1860.

HENRY PULLEN,
Warminster, Wills,
Solicitor to the Administratrix.

Memorandum.

LIST of Contracts concluded in the Jullunder Division, Commissariat Department, from 1st May 1860 to 30th April 1861.

	lbs.	oz.	d.	
Vegetables of sorts at Station	80	0	0	per Rupee
Vegetables on command	15	0	0	"
Potatoes at Station	18	8	0	"
" on command	12	8	0	"
Firewood at Jullunder	310	0	0	"
" at Phillore	300	0	0	"

Rs. As. P.

Letches, Jullunder Division 3 0 0 per 100

HOSPITAL NECESSARIES.

	Rs.	As.	P.	
Stew Pans, Copper	0	15	0	per lb.
Deckchue, large, with cover, Copper	0	15	0	"
Deckchue, small, with cover, Copper	0	15	0	"
Sp. ons. Copper	0	11	0	"
Frying Pans, Copper	1	0	0	"
Plates, Copper	0	15	0	"
Pots	1	0	0	"
Frying Pans, Iron	0	9	0	"
Sauce Pans	0	15	0	"
Soup Ladle	0	7	0	"
Spoons	0	6	0	"
Iron Nails	0	2	0	"
Sauce Pans, Tin	1	2	0	each
Tin Pots	0	2	0	"
Chillumchee	0	5	0	"
Tin Plates	0	3	0	"
Tickets Tin	0	1	0	"
Camel Trunks, with Strap	0	12	0	"
Salt Cellar, Tin	0	1	0	"
Knives, Iron	0	5	10	"
Forks	0	3	6	"
Shippers	0	6	0	per pair
Lanterns, Glass,	1	13	0	each.
Brooms	0	2	0	"
Lime	0	7	9	per maund
Charcoal	0	11	0	"
Milk (Cow's) at Station	53	Pints	per Rupee	
Butter	4	lbs.	"	

Rs. As. P.

Tinning Vessels, large	1	1	0	per score
" " small	0	13	0	"
Coffee, 1st sort, at Station	0	4	10	per lb.
Bread at Station	5	8	0	per 100 lbs.
" on command by land	10	15	0	"
" on command by water	11	8	0	"
Biscuits at Station	10	0	0	"
" on command by land and water	15	0	0	"

BAZAR MEDICINES.

Rs. As. P.

Alum	0	2	5	per lb.
Arrowroot	0	14	0	"
Barley, Europe, 1st sort	0	11	0	"
Baskets, Jhaop	0	0	8	each.
Bazar Phials, large	0	8	0	per dozen.
" " small	0	7	0	"
Bel fruit	0	3	0	per lb.
Blankets, Ios	1	0	0	each.

Bottles, large	0	3	6	per dozen.
" small	0	5	0	"
Brooms	0	2	5	each
Camphor, 1st sort	1	0	0	per lb.
Candles, Tallow	0	2	0	"
Cardamums, small	1	8	0	"
" large	0	2	0	"
Charcoal, Babool	0	15	0	per maund
Chinanthi, 1st sort	0	5	3	per lb.
Cinnamon	0	3	0	"
Cloth Bandage	0	2	1	per yard.
" Dressing	0	2	3	"
" Sheetting	0	4	0	"
" Long	0	3	6	"
Cloves, 1st sort	0	1	0	per lb.
Cotton	0	3	0	"
Crutches	0	1	6	each.
Dusters	0	1	3	"
Flannel, Country, 1st sort	0	4	0	per yard.
" Europe 1st sort	1	2	0	"
Flour for Poultries	0	0	4	per lb.
Gallnut	0	12	0	"
Ghee	0	2	6	"
Ginger, dry	0	2	0	"
" Green	0	1	6	"
Green Silk for eye-shade	0	9	0	per yard.
Honey	0	2	0	per lb.
Khadina	0	2	3	"
Kuth Kuninga	0	2	0	"
Kutha Popanyia or Catechine	0	3	0	"
Lime, China	0	0	3	"
Lime Juice	0	5	0	per bottle.
Lanseed, 1st sort	0	0	8	per lb.
" Meal	0	1	7	"
Licorice Root	0	1	0	"
Mustard, Country	0	1	3	"
" Europe	1	0	0	"
Neem Leaves	0	4	0	"
Nutmeg	1	5	0	"
Oil, Lanseed	0	2	3	"
" Mustard	0	1	0	"
" Surso, for Lump	0	1	6	"
Pepper, Black	0	4	0	"
Plantain Leaves	0	4	6	per dozen.
Pomegranate Root	0	8	0	per lb.
Poppy Heads	0	6	0	"
Pitnabs, Ice	1	5	0	each.
Rassanth	0	3	0	per lb.
Rose Water	0	5	0	per bottle.
Saro	0	4	0	per lb.
Salt, Black	0	1	0	"
Sarsaparilla	1	11	0	"
Soap, Country	0	1	0	"
" Europe	0	7	0	"
Sugar, Soft	0	2	0	"
Suet, Mutton	0	2	0	"
Tamarinds	0	1	0	"
Tape, Thread, broad	0	0	6	per yard.
" " narrow	0	0	4	"
Tow, Country	0	2	4	per lb.
Twine, ditto	0	5	3	"
" Europe	0	8	0	"
Ununtmool	1	13	0	"
Vinegar, Europe	1	0	0	per bottle.
" Country	0	3	0	"
Wax Candles	0	11	0	per lb.
" " White	0	10	0	"
" " Yellow	0	9	0	"
Wood, fire, split Dhak	0	4	0	per maund.
Wooden legs	0	1	0	each.

W. B. THOMSON,
Commissary General.

Memorandum.

LIST of Contracts concluded in the Agra Division, Commissariat Department, from 1st May 1860 to 30th April 1861.

AGRA, MUTTRA AND ALLYPURH.

	Rs.	As.	P.	
Lime Juice at Station	2	0	0	per dozen.
" on command by land or water	2	0	0	"
Lime Stone at Agra	0	14	6	per maund.
" at Muttra and Allypurh	0	15	6	"
" on command by land or water	0	8	0	"
Doolies with cover complete, at Agra, Muttra and Allypurh	17	4	0	each.
Punkah Coolies at Muttra	3	15	0	each per month.
" at Agra	3	3	0	"
" at Allypurh	3	14	0	"
Kajowahs at the Station of Agra	4	4	0	each.
Punkahs	0	7	0	per each per foot.
Bamboo Ladders	17	0	0	per 100 feet.
Sircundah Cheeks	2	12	0	"
AGRA.				
Bamboo Cheeks	3	8	0	"
MUTTRA AND ALLYPURH.				
Bamboo Cheeks	3	12	0	"
AGRA, MUTTRA AND ALLYPURH.				
Tables	23	8	0	"
Salt at Station	0	1	0	per lb.
" on command by land	0	0	9	"
" " by water	0	0	6	"
Soldiers' Boxes at Agra	4	15	0	each.
Firewood at the Station of Agra	0	6	0	per 100 lbs.
" " " Muttra and Allypurh	0	7	0	"
" on command by land or water	0	8	0	"
Butter at the Station of Agra	0	6	0	per lb.
" " Muttra and Allypurh	0	6	5	"
Milk (Cow's) at the Station of Agra	0	0	5	per pint.
" " Muttra and Allypurh	0	0	6	"
Rope Ladders at Agra, Muttra and Allypurh	2	1	0	per 100 feet.
AT AGRA.				
Khus Tatties with new Khus and Bamboos	5	6	0	"
" with new Khus and old Bamboos	4	8	0	"
Jhamps, Seerkie, new	2	6	0	"
Watering Tatties, each	1	9	0	per month.
Naunds	5	0	0	per 100.
Doolchies	1	4	0	"
Well Rope	3	0	0	each.
Mott or Doll	2	8	0	"
Giraree, Wooden	0	4	0	"
Khoontas	0	0	3	per pair.
Jooree	0	8	0	each.
Cooly for Well	2	8	0	each per month.
Giraree, Iron	0	2	0	each.

W. B. THOMSON,
Commissary General.

Advertisement of Soonderbun Commissioner's Office.

NOTICE is hereby given under Clause 1st, Rule 1st, for the grant of waste lands in the Soonderbuns, of the 24th September 1853, that an application has been received for the following Mehal in the Soonderbuns :—

Name of Mehal.	Description of Land.	Estimated area of land in Baagahs.	Name of Applicant.	REMARKS.
Kurrisbaresh in Zillah Backergunge ...	Jungle ...	9,000 0 0	Oomakantho Roy ...	This Mehal is in the Backergunge Soonderbuns.

SOONDERBUN COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE ;
Morrellgunge,
The 17th April 1860.

J. H. REILY,
Soonderbun Commissioner.